# THE DAILY MEMPHIS AVALANCHE.

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## BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Avalanche Office, Avalanche Building, 22 Jefferson street.
Avalanche Job Office, Avalanche Building, 22 Jefferson street.
Allison Brothers, hardware, 270 Front street.
Andrews W. H., grocery and commission merchant, 280 Front street.
Anderson & Gay, grocery and commission merchants, 338 Front street.
Ames, Beattie & Jones, furniture dealers, 396 Main street
Beecher & Belcher, attorneys at law, Irving Block, Second street
Bohlen, Huse & Co, ice dealers, 296 Main street.
Bourne & Co., James T., steamboat agents, 12 Jefferson street.
Brown & Jones, coal dealers, 247 Second street.
Cameron & Co., J. A., Finley Churn Dasher, 321 Main street.
Case, C. N. Jr, & Co, dealers in saddles, bridles and harness, 177 Main street.
Clark & Drury commission merchants, 200 Front street.
Cochran, M. E. and J. W. lumber merchants, foot of Washington street.
Crook, G. W. L., insurance agent, 279 Main street.
Clarke & Co., S. R., insurance agents, 18 Madison street
Cleaves & Co , C. C., booksellers and stationers, 312 Second street.
Carolina Insurance Company, of Memphis, Tenn , office 291 Main street.
Craig & Co., R. G., seed store, 379 Main street, in the Jackson Block.
Cayce & Co., M. C., general auctioneers, 298 Second street.
Chancery Court Room, Wm Smith, Judge; in Greenlaw Opera House, 355 Second street, third floor.
County Court, Thomas Leonard, Judge; corner Union and Second streets.
Criminal Court Room Wm. Hunter, Judge; in Greenlaw Opera House, 355 Second street, third floor.
Common Law Court, G. D. Pierce. Judge; in Greenlaw Opera House, 355 Second street, second floor.
Circuit Court, George Reeves, Judge; corner Union and Second streets.
Christian Advocate, Avalanche Building, 22 Jefferson street.
Dun & Co., R. G., Mercantile Agency. S. B. Wright, Manager, corner Main and Madison streets.
Dickinson, Williams & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, 210 Front street.
Desoto Insurance and Trust Company, 42 Madison street.
Duff, W. L., attorney at law, 368 Main street.
Denie, John A., dealer in corn, oats, hay, etc, 41 South Court street.
Dalton & Price, book and job printers, 9 Jefferson street.
Evans, D. H., wholesale liquors, 384 Front street.
Eddins, M. E., lumber dealer, opposite Gas Works.
Finley Churn Dasher, 321 Main street.
Flannery, Joseph, plumber and gas pipe fitter, 53 Jefferson street.
Flaherty & Walsh, undertakers, 317 Second street.
Finlay & Kellar, attorneys at law, 42 Madison street.
Forster, Reathofer & Co., grocers, cotton factors and commission merchants, 249 Main street.
Goodall House, 63 Jefferson street.
Gallaway & Co., M. C., propristors Avalanche, 22 Jefferson street.
Haynes, Stockton & Hart, attorneys at law, 42 Madison street
Heiskell, Scott & Heiskell, attorneys at law 20 Madison street.
Hernando Insurance Company, No. 17 Madison street.
Harmstad, Larry, Steamboat Agent, corner Main and Madison streets
Hampton & Chambers, attorneys at law 42 Madison street.
Hunter Mrs M. C., millinery and dress making, 247 Main street.
Harris, Ellet & Phelan, attorneys at law, 45 Monroe street.
Hays Coal Company, coal dealers, 287 Main street.
Jones, Edward C., architect, 279½ Main street.
Kirtland, Pollard & Co., commission merchants and agents for Ramie Plant, 252 Front street.
Kenny & Porter, real estate brokers and general agents, No. 2 Kit Williams Block, corner of Madison and Second
Keller, Dr. J. M., office 22 Jefferson street, Avalanche Editorial Rooms. Residence at General Hospital.
Knickerbocker Insurance Company, 18 Madison street
Lehner House, corner Washington and Second streets.
Levett & Co., Joseph S., boot and shoe dealers, corner of Main and Union streets.
Lo[illegible] & Brothers, B., wholesale and retail dry goods 242 Main street.
Lunn & Mallon, plumbers and steam pipe fitters, 204 Main street.
Loewenstine & Brother, J. H., dry goods, City Building, 231 Main street.
Levy & Co., A. S., auctioneers, 237 Second street.
Linkhauer & Brother, agents, boot and shoemakers, 281½ Second street.
Levy and Miller, general steamboat agents and forwarders, 8 Madison street.
Memphis City Savings Institution, corner Jefferson and Front streets.
Municipal Court Room, George W. Waldran, Judge; corner Union and Second streets. County Court House
Memphis and Charleston Railroad. Ticket office, Bethell Block, southeast corner Court and Main streets.
Merchants' National Bank, No. 8 Jefferson street.
Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad, office No. 237 Main street.
McRae & Walker, attorneys at law, Bethel Block.
Merchants' National Bank, 8 Jefferson street.
Moody & Co., John K., grocery and produce, 206 Front street.
Mercantile Agency of R. G. Dun & Co, S B Wright, Manager, corner Main and Madison streets.
Moon & Geoghegan, dealers in agricultural implements, 252 Front street.
Murray & Ridgely, merchant tailor No. 31 Madison street, Memphis, Tenn.
Megibben & Bro., liquor dealers, 281 Main street.
McMahon & Otis, Insurance Agents, corner Madison and Second streets
Montgomery & Co, J. E., Steamboat Agents, foot of Jefferson street.
Menken Brothers, staple and fancy dry goods, 262 Main street
Memphis and Louisville Railroad, office 237½ Main street.
Memphis and St. Louis Packet Company, Flem Calvert, Superintendent.
New Memphis Theater, W. C. Thompson, manager, Jefferson street, below Third.
Peyton, J. T., attorney at law, Lee Block, 15 Union street.
Power & McGeoy, merchant tailors, 288 Second street.
Packer, H. B., coal dealer, 233 Main street.
Powell & Co., F., advertising agents, 51 Union street.
Pattison & Co, George, dealers in books and stationery, 317½ Main street.
Perdue, M. millinery and dress making, 237½ Main street.
Passmore & Co., W. H., General Auctioneers, Vincent Block, Second street.
Postoffice corner of Third and Jefferson streets. R. C. Gist, Postmaster.
Price & Treadwell, wholesale grocers, Lee Block, Union street.
Robeson, Sneed & Co., fashionable clothiers, 261 Main street.
Randolph, S. W., attorney at law, corner Monroe and Second streets.
Royster, Trezevant & Co., Auctioneers and Real Estate Brokers, Ayres Block, Second street.
Southern Farmer, office 37 Court street.
S[illegible]nt & Co, C. W., grocery and commission merchants, 182 Front street.
Southwestern Freight and Cotton Press Company, 2[illegible] Madison street.
Stoddard & Co, A. M., auctioneers, 330 Second street,
Scruggs, P. T. and E. R., attorneys at law, 53 Union street
St. Louis Mutual Life Insurance Company, McMahon & Otis, agents; office, 42 Madison street.
Smith & Leech, wholesale liquor dealers, 342 Second street.
Semmes & Co., B. J., importers and dealers in liquors, 254 Second street.
Swanwick & Co., W. T., lumber dealers, foot of Adams street.
Smith, Owen, undertaker, 368 northeast corner Gayoso and Second streets.
Telegraph Office, 27 South Court street.
Terry & Mitchell, wholesale boots and shoes, 329 Main street.
Titus & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, 10 Jefferson street.
United States Insurance Company, 279 Main street.
United States Court, C. F. Trigg, Judge; No. 450 Main street, third floor.
Vinton & Donohue, steamboat agents, 254 Front street, up stairs.
Varieties Theater, corner Washington and Main streets.
Ward & Co., R. D., seed dealers, 232 Main street.
Walt & Co., M., steamboat agents, 270 Front street.
Wright & McKissick, attorneys at law, Kit Williams Block, corner Madison and Second streets.
Yerger & Sale, attorneys at law, Library Building, Third street, near Jefferson.
Zwelfel, Dom, lager beer depot, 34½ Adams street.

## THE DAILY AVALANCHE.

### The White Man's Platform

I hold that this Government was made on the white basis, by white men, for the benefit of white men and their posterity forever, and should be administered by white men, and none others. I do not believe that the Almighty made the negro capable of self government.—*Stephen A. Douglas.*

Hear President LINCOLN in reply:

I AM NOT, NOR EVER HAVE BEEN, IN FAVOR OF MAKING VOTERS OR JURORS OF NEGROES nor of qualifying them to hold office, nor intermarrying them with white people, and I will say, in addition to this, that there is a PHYSICAL DIFFERENCE between the white and black race, which, I believe, *will forever forbid the two races living together on terms of social and political equality*—and, inasmuch as they cannot so live, while they do remain together, there must be a position of superior and inferior, and I, as much as any other man, am in favor of having the SUPERIOR POSITION ASSIGNED TO THE WHITE RACE.

Two years before the death of DANIEL WEBSTER he said:

"IF THESE IMPERTINENT *Fanatics and Abolitionists* ever get the power into their own hands, they will *override the Constitution, set the Supreme Court at defiance* change and make Laws to suit themselves, lay violent hands on those who differ with them in opinion or dare question their fidelity; and finally, bankrupt the country and deluge it with blood."

On September 2, 1843, twenty-five years ago, HENRY CLAY said:

The agitation of the question in the free States will first *destroy all harmony, and finally lead to disunion—perpetuate war—the extinction of the African race—ultimate military despotism*

But the great aim and object of your tract should be to *arouse the laboring classes of the free States against Abolition.* Depict *the consequences to them of immediate emancipation* The slaves being free, would be dispersed throughout the Union; *they would enter into competition with the free labor;* with the American, the Irish, the German; *reduce his wages,* be confounded with him, and *affect his moral and social standing.* And as the ultras go both for Abolition and amalgamation, show that their object is to unite in marriage the laboring white man and the laboring black woman, *to reduce the white laboring man to the despised and degraded condition of the black man.*

*I would show their opposition to Colonization. Show its humane, religious and patriotic aim. That they are to separate those whom God had separated Why do the Abolitionists oppose Colonization? To keep and amalgamate together the two races, in violation of God's will, and to keep the blacks here that they may interfere with, degrade and debase the laboring whites Show that the British Government is co-operating with the Abolitionists, for the purpose of dissolving the Union, etc. You can make a powerful article, that will be felt in every extremity of the Union. I am perfectly satisfied it will do great good. Let me hear from you on this subject.*

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Troops are pouring into Georgia to control the election.

Three contestants are claiming the position of County Clerk in Obion, Tennessee.

The Texas Reconstruction Convention will assemble June 15th.

Van Renssalear Hall, tried for murder, was acquitted Thursday at Cairo.

General Hood, of New Orleans, is in Louisville this week.

Jo. Coburn, pugilist, had a large benefit in New York Saturday night.

Old things become new. Blue coats and brass buttons are once again the fashion in England.

It is reported that Colonel Donn Piatt is about to take charge of the Cincinnati *Times.* He is a lively writer.

An English traveller has discovered some fossil oysters in the vicinity of the pyramids of Egypt.

A newspaper has already made its appearance in Alaska. It is styled the Alaska *Herald,* and is printed in Russian and English.

Brigham Young has sent an order to a firm in Philadelphia for sixteen complete sets of harness, to be gorgeously ornamented.

The recovery of Mr. Andrews, who was shot at Columbus by a carpet-bagger, is considered doubtful.

A Radical meeting on Lafayette Square, New Orleans, was dispersed the other night by a thunderstorm. Some of the Radicals also heard thunder in Ohio the other day.

The journeymen printers of Charleston, South Carolina, have formed a co-operative society, and propose to open a store upon that principle. Good.

The five thousand miners in Pennsylvania who have been on a strike for three months have acceded to the terms of the pit owners and gone to work.

General "Bob" Schenck, famous for the Vienna massacre, has recently been "completely cleaned out at several friendly games of poker" in Washington.

In North Carolina $100 per acre are made by the peanut crop this year, while the cotton planters have not funds to procure mules or supplies.

An exchange says: "Chicago is pretty free of thieves now. They are all hunting the lake shore for bodies of persons lost by the Sea Bird disaster, in order to rob them."

The new Metropolitan Police of Louisville is proposing to make a raid on the keno and faro banks. It is supposed they will need guides.

Tom Shute, a negro, was killed in Nashville Wednesday night by the discharge of a spring gun, which he touched off instead of a gobbler which he was trying to steal.

New York is threatened with a daily religious paper. Its politics will be Congregational, and its motto: Go ye into all the South and preach Thad. Stevens to every living creature.

There is a Federal law imposing a fine of five hundred dollars and six months' imprisonment for the selling of burning oil which will not stand 110 degrees of heat. Why is it not enforced?

Butler hates General Thomas, says the New York *Herald's* Washington letter, because Thomas told him to his face during the war that he was a liar, and repeated the phrase when Butler drew up to strike him. Butler then backed out.

By military order, a writ of habeas corpus for the discharge of 250 colored voters confined in the workhouse has been sued out before the Fifth District Court in New Orleans. In conducting the prisoners to the court room over a hundred escaped from custody and were not recaptured.

Jackson Solomon, the young man in the employ of the Sheriff of Phelps county, Missouri, who assisted the seven prisoners to escape from the Rolla jail, on the 19th ultimo, has been sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary, for his share in the business. The prisoners promised him $400 for his services, but gave him only forty-five cents.

The *Press and Herald* is pained to learn that the Ku-Klux have appeared in East Knoxville, but in a very mild form. Two of them woke up a gentleman the other night, about eleven o'clock, to inform him that they hadn't had a drink since the battle of Shiloh, but the gentleman failed to come to time, and the spirits were "sold."

General Buchanan's orders cautioning against election disturbances and forbidding concealed weapons, restores confidence, and give assurance of a comparatively peaceable election. The polls and precincts in the various wards have also been designated by military order, the engine-houses being chosen wherever practicable. Night processions are forbidden until after the election.

## LITTLE ROCK.

**The Pretended Legislature Sits Twenty Minutes per Day.**

**Death of a Member—General Hindman Bailed for $5,000.**

**Firemen's Ball—Sisters of Mercy—Liberal People.**

**Election of United States Senators—Death of an old Citizen.**

**River, Business, Crops—Multum in Parvum.**

Special Correspondence Memphis Avalanche.]

LITTLE ROCK, April 15.

EDITORS AVALANCHE: Since my last, nothing of interest has transpired here. The "pretended Legislature" is still in session and does nothing but adjourn from day to day, after setting from twenty-five minutes to one and a half hours, simply calling the roll of members. A few days after assembling they adopted a resolution ordering the arrest of Mr. John Campbell, Superintendent of public buildings, because he would not give up the key to the legislative halls. The arrest, however, never took place, from what cause I am unable at present to say. Mr. Campbell was appointed by the last Legislature, and his oath of office forbids him giving the keys to any person or persons not authorized by the laws of the State of Arkansas. So, as a matter of course, he refused to deliver them to an illegal body, as the present "pretended" is. Mr. J. M. Tobias, one of the members from Phillips county, died suddenly on last Friday, and was buried by the Masonic fraternity and members of the Legislature on Saturday.

General T. C. Hindman was brought to this city a few days ago, and was before the United States Court on Saturday on an indictment for treason. The case was continued until the next term of the Court, and the General was held to bail in the sum of five thousand dollars, with Messrs. John Kirkwood, E. H. English, Samuel W. Williams, Sol. F. Clark, U. M. Rose, A. H. Garland, L. B. Nash, and George A. Gallagher as securities. His counsel are Messrs. Watkins & Rose, Garland & Nash, and Gallagher & Newton, all of this city.

Night before last the Fenian Brotherhood gave a grand ball, which was well attended, and all present enjoyed themselves until the "wee sma' hours."

Last night the Sisters in charge of the Convent of Mercy here had a fair and supper for the benefit of the orphans, and notwithstanding it rained all day, the attendance was very good. It will be continued to-night, and no doubt will be well patronized, as it is for a charitable purpose, and the good people of our beautiful city are always ready and willing to do their share for the poor and needy.

The election for United States Senator took place yesterday at the State House, and the notorious B. Flunkey Rice was elected for the long term and Alex. McDonald for the short one. McDonald is the moneyed man of the party—being President of the Merchant's National Bank—and has done the "advancing" for the Convention in session here a short while since, and also for the present bogus Legislature. There is not the shadow of a doubt that money secured his election.

Mr. Henry Griffiths, one of our oldest citizens, died on Monday, and was followed to his last resting place by a large concourse of citizens.

River on a stand. No boats in port.

The prospects for large crops are good.

*Au revoir.* MEMPHIS.

## WASHINGTON.

**Old Thad Wants to Speak a Piece if Anybody will Hear Him.**

**Cameron Stirring up the Dead Duck's Feathered Nest.**

Special Telegraphic Correspondence of the Louisville Courier.]

WASHINGTON, April 15.

The court to-day again refused to alter the rule providing for two concluding arguments on each side in the trial.

To-day has been devoted entirely to the receipt of documentary evidence, excepting that Colonel Moore, the President's private secretary, was called, and proved that the President sent the nomination of Ewing, Stanton's successor, to the Senate, February 22d, immediately following Stanton's removal.

This, of course, upsets the charge of conspiracy, and shows, while the President's action was prompted by a proper motive, he was also endeavoring to avoid a violation of the Tenure-of-office bill. The Senate was not in session at the time, however, and the nomination did not reach it until February 24th.

The documents introduced to-day, relate principally to the term of office of a large class of Government officers, and to the removal of many which were made by the different Presidents without advising the Senate.

Butler took the whole management of the case, ignoring his associates, and conducted himself with some decency.

Oral testimony will be offered to-morrow.

There was a rich scene in the House after the court adjourned. Stevens gave notice he would, on Friday, move for a night session of the House; that it was evident the Senate did not intend that all the managers should be heard in the impeachment case, and he would make this notice so that those excluded under the rule could deliver their arguments before the House.

Stevens is mortified because the ninth article, which was his production, has cut such a ridiculous, small figure in the trial, and he wants to speak on it.

He made the above proposition apparently in earnest, but it is so absurd, many think the old man is not in his right mind.

Senator Cameron is after Forney's Secretaryship of the Senate, and among other suggestions is that the Senate order an investigation into the latter's accounts and his manner of keeping them. A $40,000 defalcation was committed in his office last year, which was charged on a clerk, and which Forney made good; but not only old Cameron, but many others, believe the clerk was made the victim of the rascality of some one else. Perhaps the investigation may discover who is the guilty party.

Senator Wilson said to-day: "I will beat Wade two to one for the nomination of the Vice Presidency, provided when he gets Johnson's place he don't use the patronage corruptly."

Wilson laughs at Colfax's pretensions to the same place. He know's the Speaker's caliber.

**Important Information Wanted.**

Those growing fruit in different portions of this State are requested by the Corresponding Secretary of the Tennessee Horticultural Society to furnish him the extent of damage to the various fruits by the late frosts. In the mountain regions of Warren and White, he learns but little damage has been sustained, and in view of the fact that in Ohio and other States the fruit has been nearly destroyed, this information will prove of great service to both the growers and the public. Address,

H. F. FRENCH,
Corresponding Secretary Tennessee Horticultural Society, Nashville, Tennessee.


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VALUED AT........$10,000

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**500 SPLENDID PRIZES**

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Peoples' Savings Association.
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Boatmen's Saving Institution, St. Louis, Mo.
John H. Andrews, ex Sheriff of St. Louis county, Mo.
Lavellle, Warner & Co., proprietors Southern Hotel, St. Louis, Mo.
Jules Valle, of the firm of Chouteau, Harrison & Valle.
Erastus Wells, President Accommodation Bank, St. Louis.
Honorable William Taussig.
Charles [illegible] Meyer.
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PHILIP S. LANHAM, Manager,
No. 416 Walnut Street,
Under Southern Hotel, St. Louis, Missouri.

J A. COPELAAND, Secretary.

TICKETS CAN BE HAD OF E. S. PLUMMER,
No. 213 [illegible] Street, Memphis, Tenn.

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## NATIONAL TELEGRAPH.

THE NATIONAL

TELEGRAPH COMPANY

A NEW enterprise, to be known as the National Telegraph Company, has been organized with valuable franchises conferred by a recent act of Congress for the purpose of establishing Trunk Lines of Telegraphs on all the principal railroads and mail routes in the United States. The Stock is to be issued upon the same principle as that of the Merchant's Union Express Company, which recently commenced operations. The design is to interest the entire business community in the enterprise. This is done, not so much to dispose of the stock as it is to secure the business of the country which the lines pass.

THE CAPITAL IS TO BE

**$10,000,000**

In 100,000 shares of the par value of

**$100 PER SHARE**

But the actual amount to be paid in cash is

**$35 PER SHARE**

and this amount is to be paid as follows: One per cent. of the par at the time of subscribing, and no more until the entire capital has been subscribed, and then on calls to be made by the Board of Directors; Installments not to exceed five per cent. per month. When thirty-five per cent of the par value of the shares has been paid, certificates of stock will be issued. This will give the Company a paid up

**CASH CAPITAL OF $3,500,000**

Which will be sufficient to duplicate lines to all or nearly all the paying points reached by the present monopoly.

The present Telegraph Companies throughout the country have been consolidated into one huge monopoly, and are now earning over SIX MILLIONS OF DOLLARS per year, or over one hundred per cent. on the actual cost of their lines their present capital having been watered over ONE THOUSAND per cent.

THE NATIONAL TELEGRAPH COMPANY have a recognition from the United States Government of the importance of their enterprise, with a grant of the most valuable franchises ever conferred upon a telegraph company. No competing line has ever had the right now granted by Congress to this company to construct and operate lines over every RAILROAD and MAIL ROUTE in the United States. The position of this Company differs from that of any company ever before organized. The question of the RIGHT OF WAY IS FOREVER SETTLED.

The Stockholders of this Company cannot be sold out or TRANSFERRED to any other Company. The act of Congress under which this Company has been organized prohibits any transfer of the franchise granted.

**CALLS---HOW TO BE MADE**

One per cent of the Stock will be required on subscribing, and subsequent calls, not to exceed five per cent per month, will be made by the Board of Directors, from time to time, as may be necessary, to supply funds to construct and equip the lines; but no calls will be made after the one per cent. is paid, until the entire Capital Stock shall have been subscribed

**ACTUAL CAPITAL REQUIRED**

The Company confidently believe that thirty-five per cent of the Capital Stock will construct and fully equip

**25,000 Miles of Wire**

Which will connect all the commercial centers and important places in the United States. This opinion rests upon the most reliable estimates and responsible offers to construct and equip the lines.

THE NATIONAL TELEGRAPH COMPANY is organized under the laws of the State of New York, and franchises conferred by an act of Congress, approved July 24, 1866.

President—GEORGE B. SENTER, of Cleveland. Ohio.

Vice President—ROBERT SQUIRES, of New York City.

Secretary—GEORGE B. WALLER, of New York City.

COMPANY'S OFFICE,

**Nos. 64 and 66 Broadway, New York**

A limited amount of the capital stock of this Company is allotted to this locality, and those having an opportunity, and subscribing, will be placed upon equal terms with its corporators, and will secure like interests in all franchises which have accrued, or may hereafter accrue to the Company from any and all sources.

Stock may now be subscribed in this Company at the Office of THE MERCANTILE AGENCY, R. G. DUN & CO., Room No. 5, Commercial Bank Building, corner Main and Madison streets, Memphis, Tenn.

S. B. WRIGHT,
mh3 General Agent for Memphis and Vicinity.

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WE respectfully solicit a share of the business of the planters of the South. We thank our former customers for their patronage, and would be pleased to have them continue business with us. Our charges are the same as heretofore. All Cotton consigned to us will be insured unless otherwise instructed. se25

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COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, EIGHTH DISTRICT TENNESSEE,
MEMPHIS, April 11; 1868.

ON the FIFTH DAY OF MAY, 1868, I will sell in front of the Internal Revenue Office, No. 16 Madison street, the following described property:

House and Lot 179 Second Street,

One Lot on North Side of Beale Street,

Fifty-five feet west of Lauderdale street, forty-five feet front and one hundred and fifty deep.

One Lot, one mile east of city of Memphis,

Beginning at northeast corner of lot 15, in subdivision C, in partition of estate of A. B. Carr, at a stake in Pigeon Roost road [illegible] at 54 links from a poplar marked C; south 20 chains and 91 links to stake 9° west 18½ links from a poplar marked H; north 56½° west 7 chains and 84 links to P. Houston's line; north 20 chains 83 links to Pigeon Roost road; south 87° east with said road 7 chains and 79 links to beginning—fourteen acres.

Also, one Lot on east side Thornton avenue,

Formerly owned by Phil. Garvin, and sold by him to John Gager; stretches said avenue 4[illegible] feet 4 inches on the line between William Cohin's line and said lot.

The above property seized as belonging to J. H. Waggener to pay his taxes on monthly sales for the years of 1864, 1865 and 1866, and his income tax for the year 1866.

Said sale positive, unless taxes, penalties, interest and costs are paid before the hour of sale.

ROLFE S. SAUNDERS,
Collector Internal Revenue,
Eighth District Tennessee.

By JOHN MARTIN, Deputy Collector. april

## WANTS

WANTED—A man to take charge of a Stock Farm. A man with a family who desires to take an interest preferred. Inquire of EDMUNDS, TODD & CO., 304 Front street, Memphis. apr18

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## LOST.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—From the subscriber, at the Graham Place, one and a half miles from the city, on the Pigeon Roost road, on the 13th instant, one IRON GRAY PONY, six years old, sixteen hands high, unshod and with hoofs slightly ring eaten. A liberal reward will be paid for the delivery of the animal on the premises, or at 388 Main street. W. L. DUFF. apr18

LOST—Several Notes, payable to Mrs. Flora C. Turley on the 1st of February, 1st of March and 1st of April, 1868, signed by Bielock & Co., Humes & Poston, Kortrecht & Craft, Alex Erskine, and F. W. Louis. All persons are warned not to trade for the same. F. C. TURLEY, Corner Linden and Wellington streets. apr14

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## SPECIAL NOTICES, ETC.

NOTICE—I will, at the next term of the County Court, apply for letters of administration upon the estate of Fletcher Taylor, deceased. C. N. TAYLOR. mh18

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SATURDAY, : : : APRIL 18, 1868

On yesterday we spoke of the distressed condition of the country, more particularly that of the South, as also of the remedy for that condition. The object is to demonstrate to the Southern people that in all their distress they ought to be hopeful. Despair is the most terrible condition: A people like those of the South, who have enjoyed all the blessings of an enlarged liberty, with no thought that that liberty could ever be destroyed, or even impaired; after bravely, heroically, and nobly struggling for four long years of cruel, bloody, desolating war, to find themselves *slaves*; nay, the very slave of slaves, and then the damnable thought that such a condition had been forced on them by a set of the most cruel, treacherous, depraved, treacherous, unmitigated scoundrels that God, in his wrath, ever sent on earth to curse a people. Such men as the treacherous GRANT, the blood-thirsty SHERMAN, the contemptible, vacillating LOGAN, with that quintessence of all the double distilled elements that the most vivid imagination could combine together, out of which to form a creature more terrible, more wicked, more cruel, more dishonest than the most infamous devil in the reigons of damnation, Brute BUTLER—with such men controling as SUMNER, WILSON, KELLEY and old THAD. STEVENS—men whose animus is hate, malice and meanness. Such an idea would drive a generous people to despair. They would feel very much as we can imagine the lost soul would feel when entering the portals of hell, where hope and mercy can never come, if there was nothing in the future that promised some mitigation to their condition. Is there any ground upon which to base a single ray of hope? The answer is, and we wish we could whisper it to every noble man and generous woman in the South—THERE IS HOPE. Hope that should make their hearts leap for joy. "Liberty is not dead, but sleepeth." The bad men now controling the destinies of the country fancy they have buried liberty so deep that it can never be resurrected. How mistaken. The genius of liberty can never be destroyed. Men may think they can crush it, but it will arise again and reassert its power in the beneficent amelioration of the condition of oppressed humanity. Out of the oppressed condition of the South is to come her ultimate deliverance. The poor miserable fools who have forged her chains little dreamed that that very act was the one that would ultimately re-establish republican liberty. This is to be done by the people of the North sympathizing with those of the South. The North in the disruption of the business of the country is hopelessly ruined; they cannot alone pay the taxes to support the Government and pay the public debt, and out of their very distress they will at the ballot box take the control out of the hands of the dastardly Radical party, and place it in the hands of patriotic men; men devoted to the preservation of the principles of republican liberty.

THE result of the Connecticut election has put a damper on the enthusiastic admirers of General GRANT, who were silly enough to regard his name as an irresistible rallying cry. The JEWELL tickets contained his portrait at the head, and during the canvass there was more talk about GRANT than the Gubernatorial candidate. In fact, JEWELL was run as GRANT'S proxy. GRANT'S name was the tower of strength against which the "Copperhead's" could not prevail. JEWELL'S success was to show the irresistibility of the man who persistently "talks horse," and also to prove the harbinger of success in November of this "bully boy." But the returns were agonizing to contemplate. Without GRANT to fight last year, ENGLISH carried the State by nine hundred. With GRANT to fight this year, he carried it by double that majority. And to cap the climax, the classic figure-head of the great General who rode mules in a circus when a boy was in hundreds of instances disfigured by unregenerate voters. In some cases his brilliant eyes were scratched out; in others his mouth was fearfully widened; and some of the JEWELLITES were actually so naughty as to cut off his head. Between the Democrats and the Radicals, the subject of "Jesse's" *Ledger* biography fared roughly. It is evident that HIRAM ULYSSES' strength lies elsewhere than in Connecticut, and since that election less has been said of his invincibility. The truth is coming to the surface that General GRANT is a humbug from a military point of view; that left to himself during the war he was simply a butcher; and that SHERMAN, HANCOCK and others furnished the brains on which GRANT accidently rode into position and fame.

THE late terrible disaster on the great Erie railroad was attended by evidences of barbarism which, had they transpired in the South, would have sent a choice thrill of pious horror all over the North; would have brought the tender hearted JIM ASKLY to his feet, and infused new joy into the heart of old THAD. The first dispatch stated that no Southerners were on the train; this is confirmed by another dispatch, coming from that loyal journal, the New York *Times*, which says that the passengers who escaped death and wounds turned around and robbed the dead and dying of many watches, diamonds and other valuables. A diamond ring was severed from the finger of a lady by means of a file, while she was yet conscious. Such diabolism would disgrace a Feeje Islander and almost BEN. BUTLER himself. If this had happened anywhere South of the Ohio it would for the next ten years be cited as proof of the damning influence of slavery still left behind. All the pictorial, so-styled, journals of progress and civilization would teem with course wood cuts of the Ku-Klux Klan ruffians, rifling the pockets of dead negroes and fainting school marms, and all because the victims loved the Union and revered the memory of Father ABRAHAM. Such are the efforts used to fire the Radical heart, and misrepresent the animus of Southern people. This evil affair will probably be passed over very lightly, unless laid to the charge of JOHN MOSBY or General LEE—or some other suitable scapegoat.

BY a special dispatch from our friend, Colonel JOHN MCGUIRK, we learn that Mr. JOHN MULLALY, the distinguished, patriotic editor of the *Metropolitan Record*, met with a most enthusiastic reception at Jackson, Tennessee, Thursday evening. He was met at the depot by a large concourse of prominent citizens, welcomed in an eloquent address, and escorted to the hotel. Once there, he was serenaded, nearly everybody turning out. In response to the calls he delivered one of those able, stirring, eloquent speeches so characteristic of him. His reception was a perfect ovation—one of the most magnificent he has received in the South—and but a deserved tribute to one of her boldest and most powerful defenders. Last night he delivered a lecture on the political situation of the country, to an overflowing house. It was listened to with the marked attention and interest his efforts of that character never fail to command.

OUR valued correspondent, "Memphis," furnishes much important news from Arkansas in a letter which appears on the outside. He has been engaged as our "special" at Little Rock, and is commended to the courtesy of our friends in that city.

The peach crop is very promising in Arkansas.

A drowned negro was found near Point Chicot, Arkansas, last week.

Senator Wilson is confident of being nominated for the Vice Presidency at the Chicago Convention.

The largest income in New Hampshire is that of Charles A. Gillis, proprietor of Hall's Hair Restorer—$57,000.

Dr. Nathans, a distinguished Jewish rabbi, is delighting the Bostonians with a course of lectures on religious subjects. Last Sunday he preached on the spiritual existence of the Messiah.

Wendell Phillips reiterates his declaration that the habits of Grant are not such as would tend to make him a fitting President of a Temperance Society—nor of anything else.

Hon. James Guthrie was stricken with paralysis at Louisville, Kentucky, a few days ago, and serious fears of the result are entertained by his family and friends.

The last gossip from the Tuelleries is that the Empress, at the State concert, wore a dress of which the train was of such modest dimensions that it scarcely deserved the name, and a small toque of black velvet, set round with diamonds.

The Southern Telegraph Company will open telegraphic communication between Louisville and Nashville, by the 6th proximo. Competition is the life of trade.

The Jacksonport, Arkansas, *Herald* of the 11th says: "Mr. Berry Wilkerson, a well known citizen of this county, committed suicide by taking strychnine last Sunday night. Disappointment in a love affair is said to have been the cause of the rash act.

The Judiciary Committee of the New Jersey Legislature not only reported adversely to female suffrage, but actually poked fun at the petitioners, quoting some very pertinent—and indeed impertinent—lines from Tennyson's "Princess" about the care of babies.

Some enterprising correspondent, who holds "interviews," has made the discovery that the drawer of *Harper's Monthly* is made up by a woman. The foregoing announcement has been going the rounds and receiving various comments. One editor speaks of big leaves, and another says his wife does the same thing. Green contributors may learn now where their waste paper goes.

Last Sunday night a man, whose name is unknown, was run over and killed on the East Tennessee and Georgia railroad. As the man gave no evidence of liquor, it is feared that he was the victim of robbers, who placed him on the track. The same night an Irishman, named James Ragan, was drowned at the head of Crutchfield's island, on the Tennessee.

Great distress exists among the respectable working classes of New York. An instance occurred on Friday, where a healthy, decently dressed mechanic applied to be committed as a vagrant, saying that he was unable to get work, and wished to be supported for a fortnight, in the hope that times would then be better.

The rolling mill hands at Indianapolis, Indiana, are on a strike, the Superintendent having given notice of a reduction of twenty-five per cent. in wages, and the workmen at first refusing to concede more than fifteen per cent. After consultation, the men consented to a reduction of twenty per cent., but the owners refused, and thus the matter now stands.

### Tragic Death of one of the Russellville Bank Robbers.

From the Nashville Banner, 16th.]

The description given by the citizens of Russellville of the two daring freebooters who kept the citizens at bay while others of the band robbed the bank, not only enabled detective Bligh, of Louisville, to identify one of them in the person of George W., *alias* Jack Shepherd, now imprisoned in that city, but to ascertain that the other one was the latter's cousin, Oliver Shepherd, who had returned immediately after the robbery to his home near Lee's Summit, in Jackson county, Missouri. Officer Bligh then forwarded to the bankers and police of that section a circular describing the person, and informing them that from information he had obtained in working up the Russellville affair, he was satisfied that Shepherd had been concerned in certain startling bank robberies in Missouri. The circular was put into the hands of a Deputy Sheriff named Strode, who went with eight or ten men to the house of Shepherd's father, about five o'clock in the morning. The Captain of the party stationed the men around the house, and then called to know if Oliver Shepherd was there, and was answered by a female that he was not; but at the same time they heard him jump from the bed (that part of the house being neither lathed or plastered, and consequently offering but little obstruction to sound or bullets.) The Captain being well acquainted with him, called to him and told him that they had been sent by the Sheriff to arrest him, and that if he would submit quietly he should not be hurt. Shepherd replied, with oaths, that he would not be arrested, and that he would give them h—ll as soon as he put his clothes on, and at the same time fired two or three shots, through the weatherboarding, in the direction of the party who was talking to him. Two or three shots were returned, but no one hurt. The parties without then took their position so as to prevent his escape, and resolved to wait until daylight. At every noise from that until day, Shepherd would fire out at the windows and curse terribly. When day had fully come, he rushed out at the west front door with a pistol in one hand, a shot gun in the other, and one or two pistols in his belt around him. He made for the brush, shooting as he ran. The party fired at him, several of the balls taking effect, and killing him almost instantly.

# TELEGRAPH

## MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.

**Decisions of the Supreme Court at Brownsville.**

**Progress of the Union Pacific Railroad.**

**New York City to have an Undergound Railway.**

**Progress of the Impeachment Farce.**

**Facts and Fancies from Washington.**

### BROWNSVILLE.

Special to the Avalanche.]

BROWNSVILLE, April 17.

In the Supreme Court to-day the following proceedings were had with reference to the docket of the Thirteenth (Memphis) District:

The decision in the case of Gardner vs. Henry (Judgment of Circuit Court) was reversed.

In the case of W. G. Smith and Judge McMillan vs. Mason et al. the judgment of the Circuit Court was reversed. Milligan, Judge.

### WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, April 17.

A *Times* dispatch says the following additional subpœnas have been issued by the counsel for the President: Benjamin F. Boyer, member of Congress from Pennsylvania, and Fernando Wood, member of Congress from New York.

A special says the final result of the impeachment is beyond conjecture; there are twelve Radical Senators so reticent that their views are entirely unknown. During the trial yesterday, Mr. Butler read the following:

BUTLER: Prepare to meet your God. The avenger is on your track. Hell is your portion.
[Signed] KU-KLUX.

The Democratic members of Congress held a caucus yesterday to discuss what course they should take on certain political questions.

The House Committee on Commerce will report favorably on the bill for the improvement of Western trains.

It is not known when the Texas Convention will meet, General Buchanan not having received the election returns.

Ashley, of Ohio, speaking to negroes in Charleston, said: "I expect to see the day when colored men will be elected to Congress; and when done, I expect to vote for the first black man there as Speaker."

Hon. Fernando Wood has arrived, and will be examined by the President's counsel as to a conversation with the President in relation to the removal of Stanton.

The Cabinet meeting this morning was two hours earlier than usual, and was in conference until noon. The counsel for the President (except Stanbery) were also present, and it is understood important matters in connection with the impeachment trial were under consideration. The counsel were at the Executive Mansion at an early hour, and in advance of the Cabinet meeting, and remained until near the time for the opening of the court. Arrangements have been made to have the societies of the armies of the Tennessee, the Cumberland, the Ohio, and the Potomac, meet at Chicago on the 15th and 16th of December next, to have some common deliberation.

The Committee on Foreign Affairs will, when the House fully resumes business, report a bill making the appropriation required by the treaty for the purchase of Russian America.

The Secretary of the Interior has received a telegram from the Chief Engineer of the Union Pacific Railroad, stating that on the 16th instant, the last rail was laid upon the summit of the mountains, in the presence of a large number of distinguished army officers and citizens, according to the Dukerderfer's (?) survey. The railroad at this point crosses the mountain at an elevation of 7,422 feet, being the highest point reached by any railroad in the world.

### LOUISVILLE.

LOUISVILLE, April 17.

Quite a large number of persons, including some Federal officers, have gone to Lexington to attend the funeral of the late General John H. Morgan, of the Confederate States army, whose remains have been brought to Lexington for final burial.

The weather is clear and pleasant. The river is rising fast, with sixteen feet in the channel.

The steamer P. W. Strader, from Cincinnati, for New Orleans, passed here. The John Kilgour arrived from New Orleans.

### NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS, April 17.

The election to-day was very quiet, the whites almost universally voting. The polls were crowded to their utmost capacity. The vote of the city will be very large. So far, but few fraudulent votes have been detected. A large part of the negro vote was cast to-day, and many of them voted the Democratic ticket, and announced their votes to the crowd.

### ALBANY.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 17.

The Governor this morning signed the Brown or Underground railroad bill for a tunnel railroad from the City Hall Park, via Center and other streets, to Weschester county.

### RICHMOND.

RICHMOND, April 17.

General Schofield addressed the convention this morning, saying that the "iron clad oath" was extremely objectionable, and that the Government of Virginia could not be carried on on such a basis, and that in appointing Registrars he had found one or two perhaps in a county who could take this oath, and yet there were thirty-five civil officers in those counties, and as a party measure it would be fatal.

After General Schofield had left a spirited debate commenced on an effort to reconsider the vote adopting the oath.

### FOREIGN.

LONDON, April 17.

Enthusiastic meetings of the Liberal party are being held all over England.

The grievances of the Irish people generally, and particularly the disendowment of all religious sects, are the objects of the meetings.

The speakers embrace most of the well known parliamentary leaders.

The Fenian trials commence Monday, in the Court of Queen's Bench, before Lord Chief Justice Cockburne.

Dispatches from Japan state that the Mikado had declared war against the Tycoon, Stolsbashi.

A warrant was issued by a Bow street officer to-day for the arrest of Ex-Governor Eyre, of Jamaica, for unlawfully issuing a proclamation for the suspension of the writ of *habeas corpus*, during the disturbance in that Island.

## Fortieth Congress---First Session

### SENATE.

WASHINGTON, April 17.

The Court was opened in due form, and the Chief Justice stated that the first business in order was the order offered by Senator Conness yesterday, that hereafter the Senate sitting as a Court of Impeachment shall meet at ten o'clock a.m., which was adopted by twenty-nine to fourteen.

Mr. Ferry offered the following:

WHEREAS, there appears in the proceedings of the Senate yesterday, as published in the *Globe* of this morning, certain tabular statements incorporated in the remarks of Mr. Manager Butler upon the question of adjournment, which tabular statements were neither spoken in the discussion nor offered or received in evidence. It is therefore ordered, that the said tabular statements be omitted from the proceedings of the trial, as published in the proceedings of the Senate.

W. W. Armstrong, of the Cleveland *Plaindealer*, was called for the defense, and testified that the President spoke there only on solicitation, and that interruptions from the crowd were kept up most of the time, and responded to by the President.

Bart Able, of St. Louis, testified that the President reluctantly consented to speak from the Southern Hotel.

Cross-examination: Did not see any person try to draw him in, so as to get him to desist from speaking.

George Knapp, proprietor of the St. Louis *Republican*, testified that he and Able had advised the President to speak, and that the President had consented very reluctantly. The crowd was very orderly.

Henry Seider, a short hand reporter for the St. Louis *Republican*, testified that he reported the President's speech, and corrected the report published on Sunday, for publication on Monday. Made only such corrections as were called for by his notes. Compared the report of the speech published in the *Democrat* with his own, published in the *Republican*. Made the comparison on April 11th, and wrote an accurate memoranda of about sixty differences. The memoranda were put in evidence.

Cross-examined: Had been partially deaf for some time, owing to sickness. Did not become so until several months after he had reported the President's speech. Compared that portion of the reports relating to New Orleans, and recently with Mr. Walbridge; gave examples of the differences, to show that the latter had left out qualifying words to the prejudice of the President.

Mr. Butler read that portion of the speech requiring the witness to correct the errors as he went along, which he did, exciting great laughter by the sharpness of his replies to Mr. Butler's questions. Mr. Butler asked if there were any changes more important than the corrections of grammar; the witness replied that there were.

Mr. Curtis then put in evidence the commission issued by President Adams, appointing Washington Lieutenant-General. Also documents showing the particulars of all removals of officers under the Department of the Interior.

Frederick W. Seward, Assistant Secretary of State, was then called to testify for the defense, who testified that the appointment of Consuls and Vice Consuls were under his charge, and that when a vacancy occurs, and the Consul is not able to make a temporary appointment, the Minister, or in his absence the Naval Commander, nominates a Vice-Consul, and this action is referred for approval to the Department. The appointments are made *ad interim*, and are necessary for the service. The Department sometimes makes an appointment without the recommendation of the Consul, Minister or Naval Commander.

Cross-examined—These appointments are made in conformity with a statute law.

Mr. Curtis then put in the evidence a list of consuls appointed during the sessions of the Senate.

Gideon Welles, Secretary of the Navy, sworn: Was appointed in March, 1861, by Mr. Lincoln. On the evening of the 21st of February last, his attention was called to the changes in the disposition of the troops in this Department; his son informed him that at a party that evening, a call had been made for all officers belonging to a certain company to repair at once to General Ewing's headquarters; had sent his son the next day to tell the President, but he returned without seeing him, and witness went himself, about noon, to talk with the President on the subject, and told him what he had heard.

Question: "What passed between you and the President, after you had made that communication in regard to it?"

Objections were made and overruled by the Chief Justice, and the witness resumed:

The President said he did not know what Gen. Emory did, and would send for him to inquire. At the close of the Cabinet meeting, about two o'clock the same day, he had an interview with the President in relation to removal of Mr. Stanton.

Mr. Evarts then asked: What passed between them.

Mr. Butler objected, and before the question was put in writing the Senate took a recess for fifteen minutes. And on reassembling at 2:45, Mr. Evarts asked a few preliminary questions, eliciting the fact that the conversation between Secretary Welles and the President took place in the presence of the members of the Cabinet, and then said that the counsel proposed to prove that on this occasion the President told his Cabinet, before the meeting broke up, that he had removed Secretary Stanton; and in answer to a question from Secretary Welles had said that General Thomas was in possession of the office, and that Mr. Stanton had acquiesced, only requiring time to remove his papers.

Mr. Butler argued against admitting this testimony, and reiterated his views regarding the duties of members of the Cabinet, viz: that they could not give opinions in writing about matters connected with their own Departments; and also said that the evidence of the witness showed that the President had acted in this matter without consultation with his Cabinet, and held that the point at issue was covered by the ruling in regard to Mr. Perrin yesterday.

After considerable argument, the Chief Justice said this evidence related to the removal of Stanton, whereas that offered yesterday referred to the appointment of a successor, and he was clearly of the opinion that it was admissible; and the yeas and nays being taken, his ruling was sustained by 26 to 21.

Secretary Welles then testified that the President told the Cabinet that he had removed Stanton, and appointed General Thomas, who was then in possession, Stanton acquiescing and requiring only time enough to remove his papers. This communication was made in uniformity with the regular routine, after the other business had been disposed of.

The next day the witness saw the nomination prepared in the hands of the President.

The tenure-of-office law was first brought before the Cabinet in February, 1866, and Secretary Stanton was present.

The counsel at this point offered to prove that the President had laid before the Cabinet the tenure-of-office bill, and that they had advised its return with the objection that it was unconstitutional, and that Secretaries Seward and Stanton undertook to prepare the veto message; and also to show what further action was taken during the ten days following.

Mr. Butler argued at length against the admissibility of such evidence, taking the ground that a President could not shelter himself behind the opinions of his constitutional advisers.

Mr. Evarts replied, showing the President's responsibility, with great earnestness, and then the Court adjourned at 4:45.

### HOUSE.

On the motion of Mr. Shanks, it was

*Resolved*, That the Clerk of the Court of Claims de directed to inform the House of the number of judgments rendered in said court in cotton claims, the amount thereof, and in whose favor; and also to state the nature and character of the claims presented, and by what attorney they were presented.

The New York *Citizen*, Miles O'Reilly's paper, is for Chase for next President.

The strength of the British army, exclusive of the forces in India, is 136,650; of the militia, 134,037; of the volunteers, 154,689; of the yeomanry cavalry, 16,185; total, 441,561.

Dispatches just to hand from Barcelona report that the entire kingdom of Spain is agitated by a revolutionary unquiet, and that the country is much excited. Martial law has been proclaimed by royal order in the Province of Catalonia.

They have found the ruins of a town, canals, etc., in Utah, a few miles above the mouth of Salt river. The canals have been built on the ground from thirty-five to fifty feet in width, the walls still from five to eight feet high, which have been traced ten or fifteen miles from the river. Walls are still standing from fifteen to twenty feet high. The ruins are at intervals the length of the valley. Cotton, tobacco and castor beans are still found growing luxuriently upon the old farms around. What history do these relics tell, and who will trace it out?

The income tax list, of all who pay a tax on $1,000 or over, is published in Chicago. It embraces the names of persons and firms in number exceeding 2,000, about 500 of whom pay on an income of $10,000 and over. The largest income is $202,306, credited to C. H. McCormick, the reaper man. The next largest is his brother's, L. J. McCormick, $100,000. The five leading proprietors of the *Tribune* pay on incomes as follows: Horace White, $16,500; William Bross, $36,861; Joseph Medill, $27,690; Alfred Cowles, $35,190; William H. Rand, $17,457. Charles L. Wilson, of the *Journal*, pays on an income of $16,814, and A. C. Hessing, of the *Staats Zeitung*, $17,737. The names of the other newspaper proprietors do not appear in the list. J. H. McVicker, manager of McVicker's Theater, pays on an income of $48,544, which shows that theatrical business has been prosperous.

### DIED.

On the night of the 16th instant, Mrs. ARABELLA, wife of Enoch Taylor. The remains will be taken to Cincinnati for interment.

Cincinnati and Philadelphia papers please copy.

### FUNERAL NOTICE.

The friends and members of the Sons of Temperance are most respectfully requested to attend the funeral of our late brother, GEORGE P. BYLOW, at one o'clock this day, Saturday. The members of the order will meet at their hall at the time above specified.

By order of the W. P.

The friends and acquaintances of WILLIAM C. LOWDER are respectfully invited to attend his funeral from his late residence on Latham avenue, between Trigg and Kerr avenues this Saturday morning at 11 o'clock. Services by the Rev. F. S Pitway.

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R. A. Fruden vs J. C. Gay. Before Michael Foley, J. P.
THE defendant in the above entitled cause will take notice that an attachment has been sued out against him, upon the grounds that he is a non-resident of the state of Tennessee, and returned by the proper officer, levied, etc.; and that the case is set for hearing at my office in the city of Memphis, on the 16th day of May, 1868, at ten o'clock a.m., when and where he can appear and defend said action or else the case will be proceeded with ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four weeks in the Memphis Daily Avalanche.
apr17 MICHAEL FOLEY, J. P.

**To all whom it may Concern.**
AT the May term of the County Court I will apply for the guardianship of Claudie Emma Mendenall.
apr14 SAMUEL MENDENALL.

**To whom it may Concern.**
I WILL on the first Monday of the May term of the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, apply for letters of administration on the estate of James Sullivan, deceased.
apr17 MICHAEL McFADDEN.

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Second Race—Stake; purse $300; mile heats, three in five; free for all; three or more to fill. To name and close on the 1st day of April, 1868.

SECOND DAY.

First Race—Purse $220; mile heats, for three year olds; entrance $15, p. p.; entrance money to go to second horse.

Second Race—Purse $300; two mile heats; free for all.

THIRD DAY.

First Race—Gayoso House Sweepstakes, for three year olds; dash of two miles; entrance $25, p. p.; entrance money to go to second horse; Gayoso House to add $300; three or more to fill. To name and close on the 1st day of April, 1868.

Second Race—Purse $250; mile heats; free for all.

FOURTH DAY.

First Race—Purse $300; mile heats, three in five; free for all.

Second Race—Purse $250; mile heats; free for all.

FIFTH DAY.

First Race—Purse $300; two mile heats; free for all.

Second Race—Purse $250; mile heats; free for all.

SIXTH DAY.

First Race—Purse $500; three mile heats; free for all.

Second Race—Purse $250; mile heats, for beaten horses, to be handicapped by the Association.

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For New Orleans, Baton Rouge, Jackson, Vicksburg, Natchez, and all cities South, at 3:15 p.m.

All stations on Mississippi and Tennessee Southern and New Orleans, Jackson and Great Northern Railroads, at 3:15 p.m.

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All Stations on the Memphis and Charleston, Mississippi Central, Mobile and Ohio, Nashville and Decatur, Nashville and Chattanooga and East Tennessee Railroads, at 12:45 p.m.

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The entertainment at the New Memphis Theater, last night, for the benefit of the orphans, was largely attended.

Grover & Baker's celebrated elastic stitch sewing machines, 309 Main street. 1w

President Fanning will preach at the Linden Street Christian Church to night at eight o'clock.

Pittsburg and Kentucky coal and gas coke. Brown & Jones, office 247 Second street. tf

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Cakes, ice cream and soda water, every day and evening, at Burton's, corner of Fourth and Poplar street. Separate saloon for ladies and families. tf

Received this day, per Southern Express, "the Star dress hat," something fine and elegant, at Francisco & Wiggin's, 309 Main street. 2t

Captain H. W. Smith, of St. Louis, President of the Memphis and St. Louis Packet company, is in the city.

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A WORD TO THE LADIES.—Just received from the East, a new fluting machine. Samples of the goods can be seen on Tuesday at No. 220 Main street, opposite the Worsham House. N. B.—Patterns and dressmaking at prices to meet the times; also, bridal outfits on short notice. 2t

No one who is looking for a paying investment in real estate should fail to be present at the sale this day by Messrs. Royster, Trezevant & Co, of a handsome brick residence and vacant lots, to be sold at ten o'clock on the premises, upon Dunlap Avenue, and the splendid tracts of land to be sold at twelve o'clock, in front of the court house, in Greenlaw Block. Read the advertisements in the auctioneer's column.

PROMISCUOUS SHOOTING.—This is an evil which is daily growing worse. There is scarcely an hour in the day or night that the sound of a pistol is not heard, even in the very heart of the city. Our lives are not safe, even in our own houses. Only a few days since, whilst the nurse of one of our citizens was playing with an infant on the back gallery of his house, near Court street, a pistol was fired off in the neighborhood by some careless person, and the ball came crashing through the lattice, passed within a few inches of the little babe, and fell inside of the nursery. This is only one of the many instances we could cite of narrow escapes from promiscuous shooting. We would again urge Colonel Beaumont to stir up his police on this matter.

A NICE LITTLE RADICAL GAME.—The claim agents appointed under the Loyal Indemnity Swindle law are allowed $3 a day each for their services, and no perquisites; yet we learn that those appointed for Shelby county not only require petitioners to pay $1 50 each when making affidavit, but refuse to recognize affidavits made before United States Commissioners. This loyal indemnity law is a swindle and wholesale robbery from beginning to end, designed to fill the pockets of Radicals, the elasticity of whose consciences is proportionate to the emptiness of their pockets. So far as the merits of the case are concerned, our feelings are similar to those of the old woman whose husband fought the bear, but the fact is worthy of notice in further exemplification of the animus of Radical officials.

## NEWS IN BRIEF.

Nineteen cases were tried and $11 collected in the Police Court yesterday morning.

Sam Pope (col) was caught in the act of stealing hams on the levee Thursday night, and lodged on the levee.

Murphy & Harris' grocery, near the corner of Vance and Causey streets, received e burglarious visitation Thursday night, and suffered the loss of a small quantity of goods.

"Sporting Dick," who fiercely assaulted John W. Taylor, the other evening, was committed for trial by Esquire Griffiths, yesterday, in default of $2,500 bail.

Some perfumery, soap, etc., were stolen Thursday night, from a drug store on the corner of Poplar and Third streets.

Lake's grand Hippo-Olympiad and Circus will be along in a few days.

The new jail contains 122 prisoners, confined to answer the following charges: Murder, 14; larceny, 69; robbery, 8; assault with intent to kill, 8; arson, 3; rape, 3; burglary, 6; accepting bribe, 1; perjury, 1; breach of peace, 1; insanity, 1; forgery, 1; internal revenue fraud, 2; housebreaking, 2; receiving stolen property, 1; inhuman intercourse, 1.

The Board of County Commissioners were not in session yesterday.

The Nicolson pavement has been completed on Shelby street, from McCall to Union.

Dr. James, the celebrated practitioner in chronic and private diseases, has returned to his home in Chicago. During his brief stay here he effected many cures, and gave undoubted evidence of his proficiency in the treatment of all the diseases he undertook.

Stone pavement is being laid on Front above Washington street.

Colonel J. P. Pryor, the well known journalist, has attained the exalted position of Recorder of LaGrange. He speaks to common folks as usual, notwithstanding his dizzy elevation.

Captain Simons, of the police, has suffered a hen-roost robbery on his premises.

Clothing worth $250 was stolen from Mr. Alfred Fay's room, at the Lehuer House, Thursday night.

Our friend Gus Signaigo, Esq., of the Grenada *Sentinel*, and Mr. Bowen, formerly of that paper, are in the city.

In giving his reasons for voting to appropriate $20,000 to Mr. J. B. Cook, architect of the new jail, County Commissioner Merriman mentions that Mr. J. K. Winchell was allowed $680 to examine the work in the new jail, and was three weeks occupied. Mr. Merriman thinks that at the same rate Mr. Cook's services were worth about $40,000. The building cost $340,000; five per cent., the usual allowance, is $17,000; and Mr. Cook was allowed $3,000 for extra services. This brings the cost of the jail up to $360,000 in county warrants, or $216,000 in currency.

## HORSE THIEVES.

### A Large Gang Operating Between Cairo, Illinois, and Grenada, Mississippi.

### West Tennessee and North Mississippi Infested With Them—How They Work.

Not only circumstances, but admissions of accused parties, render it positive that West Tennessee and North Mississippi are infested with a large, thoroughly organized gang of horse thieves, who recognize one leader, are under strict discipline, and work together for a common interest. One of the chief operators is a negro named John Niles, recently pardoned out of the penitentiary by Brownlow, and who was two years ago sentenced to ten years imprisonment by the Circuit Court for robbery near Germantown. He is the same man whom a number of his gang sought to rescue from the Raleigh jail in 1866, by assaulting and firing on the jailor. A member of the gang was recently arrested in possession of a stolen horse near Raleigh, by detective Ben. Garrett, and is now in jail.

The operations of this large and formidable gang, composed of both whites and blacks, extend from Cairo, Illinois, to Grenada, Mississippi, extending through the river tier of counties in Tennessee and Mississippi, and those also on the line of the Mobile and Ohio railroad. Cairo, Illinois, Jackson and Lafayette, Tennessee, and Grenada, Mississippi, are the points from which orders mainly issue, the former being understood as the general headquarters. There are members who perpetrate the robberies and others whose business it is to dispose of the booty. Generally, white men are selected for the latter branch of this nefarious business, although there are exceptions to this rule.

As the columns of the city and interior press show, the members of this gang do not allow the grass to grow beneath their feet. Every West Tennessee or North Mississippi journal we receive contains statements of thefts of horses or mules, and the city papers teem with them by scores. It is a notorious fact that stock lifting has been carried on more extensively during the past six months than ever before in the history of this section of country; yet the criminals are seldom brought to justice. It will be a tall feather in the cap of the detective who exposes and breaks up the gang and brings its chiefs to justice.

## NEW ORLEANS RACES.

### Third Day.

On Wednesday there were three races over the Metairie Course. The winning nags were "Lexington," "Beacon" and "Malcolm." The following account from Wednesday's *Picayune* will be read with no little interest. It will be seen that "Agnes Donovan" was second in the third race, "Malcom" beating her by only a scratch:

The first was a hurdle race, dash of two miles, welter weights, eight leaps, for a purse of $500. There were but three entries, and two of these were from the same (Swigert's) stable.

Red Bird was their only competitor, and as every one remembered the hurdle race of Saturday last, in which Jonesboro won so easily, there was little, if any, betting on the result.

At the start, Jonesboro and Edinboro dashed off well together, and cleared the first hurdle in beautiful style at the same instant. At the end of the first quarter, which was done in 35¼, Jonesboro shot ahead, followed closely by Edinboro, with the little Red Bird well up. At the half mile pole, which was gained in 1:08, Red Bird went up, but was easily shaken off, both the other horses answering handsomely the call.

In this order they came under the string in 2:16, speeding away for the first hurdle, and all clearing it in superb style. The second mile was but a repetition of the first, save that Red Bird, in attempting to clear the second hurdle, fell, rolling over, as it appeared, on his rider.

Both, however, soon regained their feet, when the plucky little jocky, springing into his saddle, rode on. The other two horses were far ahead, having a pretty lively struggle all to themselves. Edinboro seemed to make every effort to take the lead, but Jonesboro could not understand that courtesy demanded he should give the first place to his brother, and led under the string in 4:19¼, Edinboro about a half length behind, while the luckless little Bird was a long ways in the rear.

The second race was a two mile dash for all ages, for a purse of four hundred dollars, in which there were two entries—Nellie Gwynne and Beacon. The latter was the favorite at large odds, and the race may be easily and briefly described.

At the start, Nellie led, followed closely by Beacon, and this position was maintained, though the horse occasionally called on Nellie for more speed until the back stretch was reached, when Beacon passed easily to the front and under the string in 1:54¼.

In the second mile, Beacon forged a long ways ahead, and Nellie seemed to have given up all hopes of winning.

The former came in winner of the dash in a canter. Time, 4:05¼. Nellie walked in and appeared pretty well used up.

The third race was the only one in which there was much excitement or much cause for betting. It was mile heats for all ages; purse, $300.

Joe Johnston, Agnes Donovan, Mollie Ingersoll and Malcolm were the four horses entered to contest it. Agnes was decidedly the favorite in the pools before the race, but on the track Malcom was suddenly promoted to the post. The mare was not in the best condition, and the track being stiff it was thought Malcomb's great strength and stout limbs would do him good service. The result, it will be seen, verified these expectations.

A good start was made, Malcomb leading from the string, followed closely by Agnes; Mollie and Joe Johnston trailing along in the rear. In this order they passed the quarter pole in 28¼, and the half mile pole in 55¼, Agnes occasionally creeping up on Malcomb, but being unable to pass him. In the home stretch there was a lively struggle, but Malcomb came in ahead, beating Agnes by a length, Mollie Ingersoll third; Joe Johnston being distanced. Time, 1:54¼.

At the start in the second mile, Mollie led, with Malcomb and Agnes dancing lively attendance. Malcomb soon shot ahead, and passed the quarter pole in 28¼.

In the back stretch Agnes gave Mollie the go-by, and evinced a disposition to keep the horse company, a compliment of which he seemed most ungallantly oblivious. The half mile was accomplished in 55, and the horses, maintaining pretty much the same relative position, came under the string in 1:53¾.

We append a summary of the day's races:

FIRST RACE—Grand hurdle race—dash of two miles, (welter weights) eight leaps. Purse, $500.

1. B W Simmons enters D Swigert's b h Jonesboro, 4 y o, by Lexington, dam Alice Jones, by Glencoe......1
2. E S Dickey enters D Swigert's b h Edinboro, 4 y o, by Lexington, dam Ansell's dam by Yorkshire......2
3. S L Jones enters c g Red Bird, 4 y o, by Lexington, dam Sally Polk, by Ambassador......2

Time: first mile, 2:16—4:19¼.

SECOND RACE—Two mile dash for all ages, 4 years old and upward, to carry 100 pounds. Purse, $400.

1. H B Foley enters T G Moore's b h Beacon, 6 y o, by Lexington, dam Bay Leaf, by imp Yorkshire......1
2. G A Breaux enters S Leonard's g m Nellie Gwinne, 5 y o, by imp Bonnie Scotland, dam by Chorister......2

Time: first mile, 1:54¼—4:05¼.

THIRD RACE.—Mile heats for all ages. Purse, $300.

1. G A Breux enters b h Malcomb, 5 y o, by Bonnie Scotland, dam Lady Lancaster......1 1
2. T S Moise enters b f Agnes Donovan, 4 y o, by Lexington, dam Little Peggy by Cripple......2 2
3. T M Simmons enters Wm Cottrell's b f Mollie Ingersoll 3 yo, by Daniel Boone, dam Signia, by Epsilon......3 3
4. John Gricard enters Mr. Warwick's b h Joe Johnston, 5 y o, by Goodwood, dam Judy, by imp Sovereign......dist

Time: 1:54¼—1:53¾.

## DUSKY SENSATION.

### A Carpet-bagger Elopes with a Female Africa.

Several months ago, a carpet-bagger calling himself Sterling, who hailed from the land of pumpkin pies and basswood hams, made his advent into Summit, Mississippi, as a teacher. His success, particularly among the colored population, was brilliant. He soon became the cynosure of female Africa's translucent orbs, which spake love to eyes that blinked it back again. In time his heart yearned for the companionship of a dusky damsel named Alice, who illustrated her genius in the clothes-washing line. The spark ignited Alice's heart; it was two souls with but a single thought, two gizzards rolled in one. Life without Alice was a dreary blank; existence without Sterling was death. Alice's parents protested against an alliance with "white trash." But love laughs alike at locksmiths and stern parients. That's a way love has; and, a few nights since, Alice, abandoning her fellow man servant, her fellow maid servant, and the stranger within her gates, threw herself wildly into Sterling's arms, crying: "Wilt thou comest?" and they comested. Morning dawned and found them missing. Two loving hearts could not be separated. When last heard from, they were making rapid tracks in the direction of this city.

WORTHY OF ENCOURAGEMENT.—Captain Morris Gross, the civil engineer, late of Maximilian's staff, who was mentioned some days ago, has done some work which proves him to be a most accomplished draughtsman. We were shown a draught of a model of a new agricultural machine, a neat and elegant evidence of his skill. We trust he will find plenty of work to do. There are few such engineers in this country, and we trust that his services will be secured to this city. Further particulars can be learned at this office.

## A DELIGHTFUL TIME IN THE COUNTRY.

### "Soiree Dansante" at Moscow, Tennessee—An Enjoyable Frolic.

### Rural Sports and Pleasant Experiences.

[Special Correspondence of the Avalanche.]

MOSCOW, TENNESSEE, April 17, 1868.

EDITORS AVALANCHE: Some time ago folks hereabouts became interested over descriptions of balls, parties, festivals, etc., that has from time to time appeared in the columns of the AVALANCHE. Soirees and amusements in the city, festivals and racing in its suburbs, and frolics in the adjacent towns, excited the envy of the Moscowites, unable to take part in the pleasurable scenes, pastimes and fun of their neighbors, they could only get up a little of it on their own account, and this was consequently determined on, committees appointed that were not long arranging plans. Busy hands were soon in motion. Friends in the city were called on for advice and aid, and a week's preparation found everything in readiness for the reception of the beauty and chivalry of this and surrounding regions. The "*grand soiree dansante*" was a fixed fact.

The Thursday afternoon train for Somerville carried out a bevy of Memphis belles. Mooks unrivalled string band. Captain Thomas Allen, a pair of press reporters, who had mysteriously managed to attain knowledge of the intended revel, and the entire party were safely deposited by conductor Bunapass at their destination amid the enlivening strains of the band. A committee of citizens were in waiting. They chaperoned the party to places where toilets were rejuvenated, and things fixed up for the dance.

While this was going on, the item hunters went on an exploring tour. A cursory view satisfied them no labyrinthian streets and alley ways were there to get lost in. In fact there was not more than twenty houses of all kinds, and none over one story high within the village. These have all been erected since the close of the war and present a rather newish look that would be much improved by a few coats of paint.

Before the war, a handsome, flourishing village stood on the present site of Moscow. Many of its citizens were wealthy in lands, stocks, money and negroes, but the vicissitudes of the times swept everything from them, while the invading hosts destroyed every vestige of the town, and drove its residents, refugees and wanderers to points South of their lines. Six months after the surrender of the hostile armies to the Federal forces, this writer arrived, heated and worn on foot, one hot, sultry summer day, at Moscow, the then eastern terminus of the Charleston road. Not a shade tree, a shed, barn, or roof of any character, was there to shelter the tired wanderer from the sun's sweltering rays. A regiment of National soldiers were encamped half a mile from the old town site, and to this point he wandered in search of water to quench his burning thirst. There was no shade except under the soldiers' tents, and here he waited several hours for the train to arrive bound for Memphis. Since then the former villagers have returned, and with a few new-comers have erected the present town, which at some future day may rival its former glory. However, as yet they are not able to afford a hotel, even though it is the junction of the Somerville branch of the railroad. The new depot building has recently been completed. This had been arranged and decorated at considerable expense for the occasion as the most suitable to hold the crowd and the dance. But the train from Memphis brought a much smaller number than was anticipated. The Wolf river, a fork of which runs past each side of the town, was swollen so high that they could not be forded. For a time it was feared that the great crowd expected would be a very small one. The nine o'clock train bound west brought a party from LaGrange, while the village itself turned out handsomely, and the spacious depot house, tastily decorated with evergreens, and brilliantly illuminated with kerosene, was soon filled. A fairer, prettier, merrier group of ladies have seldom clustered together, to move through the figures of the rustic reel. Everybody, and several of their city cousins, with their wives' first blood relations, were on hand, and were soon twisting the poetry of motion into all kinds of manners of shapes.

Terpsichore absolutely did a stunning business, and a perfect furore of dancing followed. One fairy flew around us so continually that it was at times really dangerous to the peace of ordinarily-constructed mortals to contain themselves. It is something akin to the feeling of one who has spent an hour or so in Paradise with the houris, to be in the presence of such divine beauties as graced this room, and with their gaudy, dazzling attires fairly enchanted the general looker-on. The only fault that could be found with it was there were too many pretty girls.

There was Miss E——s, the belle of Moscow, attired in a cherry-colored Tarleton trimmed with golden spangles, and a wreath of early spring violets encircling her brow, looking exceedingly sweet and captivating; and Miss T——n, costumed in a spotless white dress, studded with gold stars, a pink sash about her waist, and a simple wreath of white roses around her head, presenting a charming look; and Miss G——n, in white dress, ornamented with silver stars, a blue sash about her waist, and a red rosebunch in her handsomely-dressed hair.

And sedate, stately, Juno-like, Miss L—— of LaGrange, dressed in pure white, typifying her mild temper, and sweet, amiable disposition. And charming, intellectual, quick-witted Mrs. H——, in a blue tarleton dress, tucked in diamond loops, a white scarf fastened in front, encircling her waist and falling in careless, drooping folds to the rear, which, with the flower blossoms adorning her brow, made her a captivating picture to behold. And then fascinating, sweet faced Miss Sue F——e, of Memphis, attired in a neat fitting dress of white, trimmed with crimson, and a pearl necklace around her neck, her luxuriant, glossy hair thrown back in careless, natural ringlets; a pretty, fascinating creature, acknowledged one of the most graceful and beautiful dancers of the party. Her winning manners and mischievous wiles kept a number of hearts in a perpetual state of commotion during the entire evening, and more than one was in a style that philosophers call "*status violentus*," at the parting in the morning.

Also, Miss M—— M——y, of Memphis, a pretty Sylph, in neat attire, whose rosy, wavy curls and vivacious converse, brought a number of rural captives to her shrine. She floated here and there like a fairy sprite, and who, if she did not have on Maud's "gloss of satin," certainly looked very lovely in the sweetest of lawns.

There were many others that deserved notice, but space forbids further mention. Their handsome dresses and poetical movements make one wish for Byron's pen to celebrate anew the enchanting picture, and the pastime so freely indulged in by all.

There was a splendid collation set before the multitude. Entire pigs, sheep, kids, fowls, etc., etc., were put out in huge bread trays, and barbecued in true barbarian style. And iced cakes, and custards, and sweetmeats of so bounteous supply, that one could not help wondering where it all came from. The managers of the hall were Dr. J. S. Hill, R. B. Denson, and Dr. R. B. Stover. The ladies who prepared the splendid supper were Mesdames Allen, Stover, Smith, Simmons, Stewart, Evans, Johnson and Hill; and Captain Thomas Allen, of Memphis, his affable brother, of Moscow, and twenty-five or thirty cousins, half sisters, uncles and grandfathers made themselves conspicuous in catering to the crowd, and making the time pleasant. The city portion of the visitors reached home on the morning train, delighted with the excursion, and redolent with the perfume of the roses that so plentifully adorned their paths to and from the city.

CRESCENT.

EXCITING CHASE OF A BURGLAR.—A well-known and popular Main street clothing merchant, who occupies sleeping apartments in Ayres Block, was awakened about daybreak the other morning by a noise in the front room, which proved to be caused by a burglar jumping in from a window. Our mercantile friend, forgetting in his excitement that his attire more befitted the *Black Crook* ballet than street costume, bounced out of bed and made a desperate lunge for the bold intruder. The latter sprang to a door leading into the hall, unbolted it, and jumping over the bannisters, leaped half way down the stairway, closely followed by the now thoroughly awakened merchant. In a moment the twain reached the pavement, burglar slightly ahead, but with no time to brag on. He crossed Second street in four jumps, the pursuer making it in two and a half. Around Court Square rushed the rascal, and around in hot pursuit fairly flew the irate merchant, his toe-nails striking fire every step, and drapery waving in the breeze like the sails of a ship. A sleepy policeman observing the grand hegira, started after both, yelling at the top of his voice, and screaming that the cussed Ku-Klux couldn't come it on him. The merchant, finally satisfied that the burglar was one too many for him on the running question, stopped at the call of the officer, leaving the pursued to make good his disappearance through Kremer's alley. The vigilant guardian of the night at once seized our friend, satisfied he had caught at least a junior Cyclops, and felicitating himself on speedy promotion for vigilance. Explanations followed, and the ghostly looking merchant was escorted to his apartments, satisfied that one of the things he can't do quite as well as another is catching burglars.

Murray and Ridgely, merchant tailors, 31 Madison street, have received a well selected stock of cloths, cassimeres and vestings, which for style and quality, cannot be surpassed in this or any other city. 1m

Genuine Panama hats, French Panama, fine leghorns, and every known style in the straw line, to be had at Francisco & Wiggins', 309 Main street. 2t

Gentlemen will find the best busness hat at 269 Main street, opposite the square 5t

## THE RACES.

### Twenty Horses Coming from New Orleans.

Yesterday our friend, Mr. A. D. Gibson, Secretary of the Memphis Racing Association, received a dispatch from the President of the Association, announcing that twenty of the horses participating in the New Orleans races would leave the Metaire Course on the steamer Pargoud for Memphis. Among them are "General McMahon," "Richelieu," "Nelly Gwynne," "Jennie C," "Agnes Donovan," "Privateer," "Bismarck," "Painter," and others of wide-spread reputation. These, with the fifteen already here, will make thirty-five in all. Besides, a couple of Nashville stables are entered, and there will be horses from Alabama and Lexington, Kentucky. Everything promises even a more interesting meeting than that held last fall.

[OFFICIAL.]

## PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL

At a called meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, held yesterday, April 17, 1868, present, Chairman Swayne; Aldermen Powers, Johnson, Black, Brown, O'Donnell, Lemon, Renner, Passmore, Moffet and Ellis.

A quorum being announced, the Chairman took his seat and called the Board to order, when the roll of Aldermen was called, and the object of the meeting announced to be for the purpose of considering the ordinance providing for the issuance of time bonds.

The following was then read and, by a suspension of the rules, passed upon its second and final reading:

*Be it ordained*, By the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Memphis, as follows:

SECTION 1. That for the purpose of funding the debt of the city of Memphis, the Mayor is hereby authorized to issue the bonds of the city bearing six per cent. interest to the amount of one million dollars, having thirty years to run, and payable either in the cities of New York or Memphis, at the option of the Mayor.

SEC. 2. Said bonds shall be issued in denominations of $500 and $1,000, at the discretion of the Mayor, with coupons for interest, payable semi-annually; and when so issued shall be used by the Mayor for the payment of any of the due debts of the city.

SEC. 3. In order to test the sense of the qualified voters of the city as to the issuance of the above bonds, under an act of the Legislature, passed December 3, 1867, the Mayor shall, after giving ten days' notice in the daily newspapers of the city of the time and place of the election, submit this ordinance to the qualified voters of the city. Those voting for the issuance of said bonds shall indorse upon their tickets, "bonds;" those voting against, "no bonds." And should a majority of the qualified voters vote in favor of the proposition, then this ordinance to be of full force and effect, and said bonds shall be issued as provided in sections 1 and 2.

Thereupon the Board adjourned.

L. R. RICHARDS, Register.

## THE COURTS.

UNITED STATES COURT.—*C. F. Trigg, Judge.* Quite a number of unimportant motions were made in this Court yesterday, and Messrs W. L. Harris and L. E. Dyer admitted as practitioners of law.

BANKRUPTCY COURT—*T. J. Latham, Register.*—Meetings of creditors in the cases of Martin Holland, W. H. Flynn, Adolph Solomon, James M. Gowing, John W. Dyer, L. T. Sugget, and A. and J. Frey, wherein W. T. Cirode was appointed assignee, and in that of Oscar App, wherein an assignee was chosen by the creditors.

LAW COURT—*James O. Pierce, Judge.*—This Court closed hearing of cases yesterday, while still engaged on 633. Colonel Gantt closed the argument in the contested election case, but the decision of the Court has not been rendered. The motion docket will be called to-day.

MUNICIPAL COURT.—*George W. Waldran, Judge.* One case, No. 593, consumed the time of the court yesterday, and remains unfinished. Court adjourned until Monday at nine a.m., when the motion docket will be called.

CAPTAIN VAN.—This gentleman requests the following named gentlemen to meet him at the *Appeal* editorial rooms, at two p.m. to-day:

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| Com Martin Welt, | Maj C S Phillips, |
| Col John McLennan, | M C Pearce, |
| W L Stewart, | Dr J S White, |
| Col M Mageveney, jr, | Col J W Dawson, |
| Col John C Fizer, | Major Phil Allen, |
| Col J W Rogan, | Capt John Mitchell, |
| Capt H B Morton, | Capt Flippin, |
| Col J H Edmondson, | Col W L Duff, |
| Gen Colton Greene, | Major J J Murphy, |
| Col W F Taylor, | T D Robbins, |
| Dr S R Clark, | H A Littleton, |
| Capt John Overton, jr, | Capt J W Sneed, |
| Major G P Rambaut, | Capt N Estes, |
| B F Pugh, | Charles Bullock, |
| Capt Thos N Johnson, | Dr D D Saunders, |
| Dr Emmet Woodward, | Col John Donovan, |
| Capt P M Winters, | D A Shepherd, |
| Gen M L Perkins, | Major J Dubose, |
| Capt Taylor, | Major G P Strange, |
| J S Parkson, | Gen G D Ruffin, |
| N J Hughur, | Col M C Gallaway. |

PHALON AND THE POPE.—Three new Italian bells were baptized by the Pope a short time ago—thousands of American belles are self-baptized every day with PHALON'S 'FLOR DE MAYO,' the new perfume for the handkerchief. Sold by all druggists.

Francisco & Wiggin, hatters, 309 Main street, are selling hats at prices lower than the lowest, and defy competition. 2t

Remember, Hesse & Co's stock of damaged goods must be sold without regard to price or value, at 234 Main street. tf

Cheap hats are not the cheapest. Buy a good hat of Leidy & Co., and thereby save money—269 Main street, opposite the square. 5t

We claim to have the *finest* and *latest* styles of hats in the market. Leidy & Co., hatters, 269 Main street, opposite the square. 5t

Grover & Baker's celebrated elastic stitch sewing machines 309 Main street. 1w

Lumber, Shingles and Laths can be bought low of B. K. Plain & Co., 364 Second street. 1m

Doors, Glass, Sash and Blinds can be bought low at B. K. Plain & Co.'s, 364 Second street. 1m

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## BUSINESS NOTICES.


A cough, a cold or a sore throat requires immediate attention and should be checked. If allowed to continue, irritation of the lungs, a permanent throat disease or consumption is often the result. Brown's Bronchial Troches, having a direct influence to the parts, give immediate relief. For bronchitis, asthma, catarrh, consumptive and throat diseases, Troches are used with always good success. Singers and public speakers use them to clear and strengthen the voice. Obtain only "Brown's Bronchial Troches," and do not take any of the worthless imitations that may be offered. Sold everywhere. sod4m

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething, greatly facilitates the process of teething, by softening the gums, reducing all inflammation; will allay all pain and spasmodic action, and is sure to regulate the bowels. Depend upon it, mothers, it will give rest to yourselves, and relief and health to your infants. We have put up and sold this article for years, and can say in confidence and truth of it what we have never been able to say of any other medicine—never has it failed in a single instance to affect a cure, when timely used. Never did we know an instance of dissatisfation by any one who used it. On the contrary, all are delighted with its operation, and speak in terms of commendation of its medical effects and medical virtues. We speak in this matter "what we know," after years of experience, and pledge our reputation for the fulfillment of what we here declare. In almost every instance where the infant is suffering from pain and exhaustion, relief will be found in fifteen or twenty minutes after the syrup is administered. Full directions for using will accompany each bottle. Be sure and call for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," having the fac-simile of "Curtis & Perkins" on the outside wrapper. All others are base imitations. Sold by all druggists throughout the world. Price only thirty-five cents per bottle. Offices—215 Fulton street, New York; 205 High Holborn, London England; 441 St. Paul street, Manoreal, Canada.

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## For Sale Cheap.

A SUPERIOR Thirty-six Horse Power STATIONARY ENGINE AND BOILER, complete, as good as new: cost $2,300. Will sell same for $1,500. Call at 22 Madison street and see it in RUNNING ORDER.

I. H. MERRITT,

Ass't Sup't Southwestern Freight and Cotton Press Co.

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## RIVER NEWS.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE, SATURDAY, April 18.

BOATS LEAVING TO-DAY.

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| Julia | VICKSBURG | 5 p.m |
| Darling | CINCINNATI | 5 p.m |
| Belle St. Louis | ST. LOUIS | 5 p.m |
| R. E. Lee | NEW ORLEANS | 5 p.m |
| Liberty No 2 | WHITE RIVER | 5 p.m |

BUSINESS—WEATHER—RIVERS.

Yesterday was clear and beautiful, and all nature, which includes, of course, the fair sex, turned out and smiled, in pleasing contrast with the previous day. The river is rising slightly, say two and a half inches per day. The Cumberland and Wabash are both going up at about the same rate. The river here has risen two feet or more. In two hours yesterday it swelled six inches. The Illinois is rapidly rising, and the upper Mississippi and Missouri are also on the rise. The rains have been among the heaviest remembered, therefore a swell of four or five feet was not unexpected. The Arkansas is rising fast, with eight feet to Little Rock. White river is rising. The recent rains will no doubt give us as much water as we have had at any time this year, and we would caution our readers along the river to be on their guard.

ARRIVALS.

Steamer Bismarck, St. Louis.
" Mayflower, Evansville.
" Belle St. Louis, St. Louis.
" Liberty No, 2, White river.

DEPARTURES.

Steamer Dexter, Louisville.
" Westmoreland, Cincinnati.
" Mayflower, Evansville.
" Bismarck, New Orleans.
" Natoma, Friar's Point.

BOATS IN PORT.

Gleaner, Darling, Des Arc, Liberty, Belle St. Louis.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Centralia, which came in yesterday from White river, had 22,000 feet of lumber and ninety-three bales of cotton.

The Belle St. Louis will take in her plank today for Cairo and St. Louis. Captain Zeigler will be on the roof, and Captain Ad Storm, the gay and favorite clerk, will carry the quill over his ear.

Captain Blaisdell will back out the Gleaner on Monday for all points on the Arkansas. Sam Wood and Huls will do the stationery business.

The United States mail steamer Julia, Captain Luker, with J. Lee Finney in the office, passes down to-day for Vicksburg.

The Darling leaves at five p.m. to-day for Cairo and Cincinnati. Captain Lee Huls in command, and A. F. Power at the desk.

The Cora S. will leave for Louisville this afternoon.

The Sam Hale left Porkopolis Wednesday for this point.

The United States Mail Packet, Liberty, will leave to-day for all points on White river to Jacksonport, making close connections with special trains to Little Rock. The fare to Little Rock by this line is reduced to sixteen dollars. Captain John B. Davis, the popular master, is in command, with Charley Sharpe and Captain Will Harvy in the office, making a popular combination.

The matchless R. E. Lee will be in to-day. Captain Jim White, the favorite of the public in general, and travelers in particular, is in command, while Captain A. McVay does the honors of the office to satisfaction. This magnificent steamer will leave for New Orleans and all landings this evening.

The Vicksburg *Times* says there never was as many fine and fast steamboats plying in the Mississippi river as at the present time. In a moment we can name the two Lees, Paragoud, Quitman, Ruth, Republic, Allen, Dexter and Wild Wagoner, without including a single boat that does not combine great speed and magnificent passenger accommodations. In classifying those we have named, the Robert E. Lee is the fastest; the Frank Paragoud the finest; the Great Republic (in all probability) the largest carrier, and, taking her for all in all, the Ruth the *best*.

Hill and Hewett, at Cincinnati, are analyzing the steamer General Hill at Louisville.

Work has been suspended on the steamer El Paso, building at Cincinnati for the mountain trade, for some time, on account of the illness of one of her owners. She will probably not make a mountain trip this season.

The Lexington was damaged by the late storm, at Vicksburg, to the extent of two or three thousand dollars.

A rumor was current in Vicksburg, on the 16th, that the Plane city was sunk by the tornado which wrecked the Lexington.

The Fort Smith *Herald* says:

Boat owners in this river have become so abominably stingy that none advertise, and there is no wonder that so many of them sink—it is rather remarkable that some of them don't blow up—as the Captains are so close that they will hardly let steam enough on to propel the boats.

The Louisville *Democrat* of Thursday says: Charles H. Clark, for a long time connected with the press of the city, and the well-known river editor of the *Courier*, has, we are informed, retired from that paper, as under the new arrangement of the Board of Trade, his duties of Secretary of that board prevent his attending to the reporting business. We understand that Henry C. Underwood will be his successor.

## MONETARY.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE, SATURDAY, April 18, 1868.

Another quiet day in money circles has passed away. We have nothing to say more than has been said of other similar days which have added themselves to the "past" and left nothing worthy of special mention behind. Currency is more than equal to the demand for it, and may be said to be easy. Exchange is quiet and rates unchanged. The Eastern money market is gradually becoming easier, but it is claimed that several unnecessary and extraneous circumstances have retarded the return of monetary equilibrium. One of these is the sales of gold by the Treasury. These, however, were small, and are likely to be small for a long while to come, as the Government has, and will have, no gold to dispose of. Some complaints were made that the Treasury sold gold on Good Friday in Delmonico's bar-room, when the Gold Room was closed. The amount sold was, however, no more than $150,000.

The gold premium at the opening to-day in New York was 138⅛, and closed at 138½. We quote at 137½ to 138 buying. Selling at 138½ to 139.

County warrants are steady, with no special demand. Brokers buy at 55 to 58. Selling at 60 to 62c. Small pieces are held higher.

Police scrip is in fair demand at 83 to 84c buying. Selling at 86 to 88c.

Brokers to-day are unable to buy City Scrip at their offering rates—64 to 65c. Selling at 66 to 67c.

## COMMERCIAL.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE, SATURDAY, April 17, 1868.

The Liverpool cotton market was declining at the opening to-day; uplands, 12⅛d; Orleans, 12⅜d. It was still declining at noon, with quotations nominally unchanged. At the close the market was easier; uplands, 12d afloat; on the spot, 12⅛ to 12¼d; Orleans, 12¼ to 12⅜d. Sales for the day, 8,000 bales. Week's sales, 56,000. Exports, 7,000 bales; to speculators, 6,000 bales. Stock, 407,000 bales, of which is American, 230,000 bales. The New York market opened quiet but steady. Holders indifferent about selling; middling, 31½c; Orleans, 31¼c; good middling, 31½c. At noon the market was inactive and prices drooping; middling, 30 to 30½c; Orleans, 30¾ to 31¼c; good middling, 31 to 31½c. At two p.m., which was the last dispatch we received up to the close of business, quoted the market inactive and prices drooping; low middling, 28¾c, middling, 30c; Orleans, 30½c; good middling 31c. Sales 800 bales. Our market was inactive throughout. Sellers and buyers were alike scarce. We could learn of no sales upon which to base quotations.

### Cotton Statement.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, MEMPHIS, April 17, 1868.

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| Stock on hand Sept. 1, 1867 | | 1,080 |
| Received since yesterday | 542 | |
| Received previously | 247,099 | 247,641 |
| | | 248,721 |
| Exported to-day | 123 | |
| Exported previously | 245,174 | 245,297 |
| Stock on hand and at presses | | 3,4[illegible] |

## MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

### NEW YORK MARKET.

NEW YORK, April 17.

Cotton dull and about 1@1½c. lower. Uplands 30@30½. Rice dull; Carolina 10½@11½. Coffee moderately active. Sugar in fair request; Cuba 10½@13¼. Molasses fair; Cuba 48@50. Flour active and 5c. better. Corn $120@121½.

### NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

NEW YORK, April 17.

Money easy; call loans 7 per cent. Discounts heavy, 8@10 per cent. Sterling is a shade firmer, 8⅞@10¼. Gold 38⅛@38½. New Tennessee's 66½. Old do. 66¼.

### NEW YORK DRY GOODS MARKET.

NEW YORK, April 17.

Dry goods are quiet, but prices are sustained.

### NEW ORLEANS MARKET.

NEW ORLEANS, April 17.

Cotton dull—no quotations. Sales of 100 bales; receipts, 1,202 bales; no exports. Week's sales, 7,060 bales; receipts, 10,582. Exports—foreign, 11,247 bales; coastwise, 79 bales Stock, 60,041 bales. Sterling, 44@52½. New York sight, ½c premium. Gold, 39. Sugar and molasses irregular and unsettled—Cuba molasses quoted at 47@58. Flour dull and depressed—superfine, $9 25; choice, $13 50@14 50. Corn quiet but firm at $1 04@1 05. Oats quiet, 71c. Hay, $21@22. Pork quiet—retailing at $27 70. Bacon dull—retailing as follows: Shoulders, 14c; rib sides, 16½c; clear sides, 18c. Lard dull and unchanged.

### LOUISVILLE MARKET.

LOUISVILLE, April 17.

Tobacco active—sales of 132 hogsheads lugs at $5 25@7 25; common to medium leaf, $7 50@14 25; cutting leaf, $25 50@27 50. Flour steady—superfine, $8 50; fancy, $12 50. Corn—shelled, in bulk, 98c; ear, 90c. Oats, 75c. Cotton dull at 29@29½c. Mess Pork, $27. Bacon shoulders, 12½@13½c; Clear sides, 17½c; hams, 18@19½c, packed, Lard, in tierces, 17½c. Whisky, free, $2 20.

### CINCINNATI MARKET.

CINCINNATI, April 17.

Flour firm; family $11 00. Wheat $2 60. Corn 85c. Oats 76c. Rye $1 95. Mess pork $26 50. Bulk meats quiet; shoulders 12c; sides 14c. Bacon shoulders 13c; rib sides 16c; clear sides 17c. Lard 17c. Butter 45@50c. Cheese 15@16c. Coffee 21@26½c.

### ST. LOUIS MARKET.

ST. LOUIS, April 17.

Tobacco steady and unchanged. Flour steady; superfine $7 00@8 25. Fall wheat $2 60@2 75. Corn 86@90c. Oats 70@72c. Barley $2 60@2 65. Pork $27 00@27 50. Bacon shoulders 13c; clear sides 17c. Lard quiet, 17@18c.

### FOREIGN MARKETS.

LONDON, April 17.

Consols closed at 93¼@93⅜; 5:20s, 70⅞, ex-dividend.

FRANKFORT, April 17.

Five-twenties firm at 75⅞.

LIVERPOOL, April 17.

Cotton closed dull, and a fraction lower; sales 8,000 bales uplands, in port, at 12@12⅛d; to arrive, 12⅛@12¼; Orleans, 12¼@12⅜d. Amount of cotton afloat for this port, 348,000 bales, including over 100,000 from the United States.

The Manchester market is dull and heavy.

## STEAMBOATS

We request the officers of steamboats to recognize no one as an attachee of the AVALANCHE without the proper letters stamped at the office.


### FOR VICKSBURG.

Regular St. Louis, Memphis and Vicksburg U. S. Mail Packet. For Helena, Napoleon and Vicksburg.

**Julia**......Jas. F. Luker, master

This fine passenger packet will leave as above THIS DAY, April 18, at 5 p.m.

LARRY HARMSTAD & CO., Agents, Corner Main and Madison streets, And City Wharfboat, foot of Monroe street.

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### FOR CINCINNATI.

Memphis and Cincinnati Packet Company. For Cairo, Evansville, Louisville and Cincinnati.

**Darling**......Kates, master

This elegant passenger steamer will leave as above SATURDAY, April 18, at 5 p.m.

LARRY HARMSTAD & CO., Agents, Corner Main and Madison streets, Or at City Wharfboat, foot of Monroe.

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### FOR ST. LOUIS.

Memphis and St. Louis Packet Company. For Hickman, Columbus, Cairo and St. Louis.

**Belle St. Louis**......Zeigler, master

This fine passenger packet will leave as above SATURDAY, April 18, at 5 p.m.

FLEM. CALVERT, Superintendent.

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### FOR NEW ORLEANS.

Regular Memphis and New Orleans Wednesday Packet. For Vicksburg, Natchez, New Orleans and the Bends.

**Frank Pargoud**......Tobin, master

This fine passenger packet will leave as above WEDNESDAY, April 22, at 5 p.m.

JAS. T. BOURNE & CO., Agents, No. 12 Jefferson street.

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Regular Memphis and New Orleans Saturday Packet. For Vicksburg, Natchez, New Orleans and the Bends.

**Robert E. Lee**......White, master

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### FOR ARKANSAS RIVER.

U. S. Mail Line. Regular Memphis and Arkansas River Packet. For Pine Bluff, Little Rock and Fort Smith, Direct

**Gleaner**......Blaisdell, master

This new and splendid passenger steamer leaves MONDAY, April 20, at 5 p.m.

JAS. T. BOURNE & CO., Agents, 12 Jefferson street.

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### FOR WHITE RIVER.

U. S. Mail. Regular Memphis and White River Saturday Packet. For Helena, Duvall's Bluff, Augusta, Des Arc and Jacksonport.

**Liberty No. 2**......Cabell, master

This fine passenger packet will leave as above SATURDAY, April 18, at 5 p.m.

LEVY & MILLER, Agents, 5 Jefferson street.

Captain SAM SHOCK and JAMES SAYERS, passenger agents Office Overton Hotel. april6

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### FOR ST. FRANCIS RIVER.

Regular Tuesday St. Francis River Packet.

FOR Helena, Marianna, Madison and Wittsburg and all way landings, MOLLIE HAMBLETON, T. R. BOWMAN, Master; SAM. C PAINE SHELL and CLARK, Clerks, will leave Memphis EVERY TUESDAY, at 5 o'clock, p. m.

LARRY HARMSTAD & CO., Agents, Corner Main and Madison streets, And City wharf-boat, foot of Monroe street.

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## MEMPHIS & ARKANSAS RIVER
### UNITED STATES MAIL
### PACKET LINE

For Napoleon, Pine Bluff, Little Rock, Van Buren, Fort Smith and Fort Gibson.

THE above line has been fully organized, and comprises the following first class boats, viz:

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| CELESTE | Pritchard, master |
| CENTRALIA | Nowland, master |
| OZARK | Hambleton, master |
| GLEANER | Blaisdell, master |

One of the above named boats will leave Memphis EACH MONDAY AND THURSDAY during the season for Little Rock, and there make close connections with the following boats, (belonging to the Company):

For Dardanelle, Van Buren, Fort Smith and Fort Gibson, viz:

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| VAN BUREN | Smith, master |
| AMERICAN | Nowland, master |
| FORT SMITH | Rowland, master |

The latter boats were built expressly for the trade, and are now running to Dardanelle; and as soon as the water will permit, will extend their trips to Fort Smith and Fort Gibson.

Shippers and the traveling public may rely upon the above schedule; and should any increase of business require it, an other boat will be added, making three boats from Memphis each week. Feeling assured that increased facilities will bring an increase of business, the proprietors of this line are determined to do their part.

JOHN D. ADAMS, Superintendent.
JAMES T. BOURNE & CO., Agents, No. 12 Jefferson street.
THOMAS B. KIERNAN, General Passenger Agent.
MART. WALT & CO., Agents, No. 273 Front street.

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### OLD RELIABLE
## Memphis & White River Packet Co
### U. S. MAIL LINE
### For Little Rock and Hot Springs.

The Splendid Passenger Steamers

**COMMERCIAL** — **LIBERTY NO. 2**

LEAVE Memphis every TUESDAY and SATURDAY at five o'clock p.m. for White river, connecting at DeVall's Bluff with Memphis and Little Rock Railroad for Little Rock, and Stage Line for Hot Springs and all points in Arkansas. Time to Little Rock forty-eight hours.

Passengers and Shippers can rely on this route the year round.

JOHN B. DAVIS, Superintendent.
LEVY & MILLER, General Freight and Ticket Agents, 5 Jefferson street.

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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

### REMOVAL.

THE
### Memphis City Savings Institution

HAVE removed their office from No. 16 Jefferson street to the corner of Front and Jefferson streets.

April 15, 1868. E. C. KIRK, Cashier.

S. H. TOBEY, Pres't. E. C. KIRK, Cashier.

## Memphis City
## SAVINGS INSTITUTION

CORNER OF
**Jefferson and Front Streets,**

MEMPHIS, : : : : : : : : : : : TENNESSEE.

TRANSACT
*A General Banking Business,*

RECEIVE Deposits and deals in Gold, Silver, Exchange, Government Securities and Uncurrent Money.

Collections PROMPTLY Attended to.

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### Two Million Feet Good Timber,

Delivered at my Saw Mill in the city of Memphis, on Wolf river. I will buy Cypress, Walnut, White Oak Yellow Poplar and Gum, and pay the highest cash prices.

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## Carpets and Furniture!

BEING about to make a change in our firm on account of the death of Mr. E. G. JONES, we offer our stock of FURNITURE and CARPETS

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C. F. RISLEY, Very respectfully,
W. J. COITE. [apr10] RISLEY & CO.

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## Boot and Shoemakers,

LINKHAUER & BRO. Agents.

THIS well known firm is now located at 281½ Second street between South Court and Madison, opposite the Still man Block.

### Estate of James Wickersham, Dec'd.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested that Mr. E. W. Wickersham is no longer our agent in Memphis, and that his resignation as Administrator of the estate of James Wickersham, Esqr., has been accepted by the County Court of Shelby County.

Messrs. Beecher & Belcher, (Irving Block), are our attorneys and agents for all business in Memphis, and Mr. E. L. Belcher has been appointed Administrator of said Estate.

ROBERT WICKERSHAM,
THOMAS WICKERSHAM, for heirs of
JAMES WICKERSHAM.

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# DAILY MEMPHIS AVALANCHE

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AVALANCHE BUILDING,

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## LIST OF LETTERS

*Remaining in the Postoffice at Memphis, Tennessee, Saturday, April 18, 1868.*

To obtain any of these letters, the applicant must call for "Advertised Letters," give the date of the list, and pay one cent for advertising.

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N. B.—A request for the return of a letter to the writer, if unclaimed within thirty days or less, written or printed, with the writer's name, postoffice and State across the left hand end of the envelope on the face side, will be returned free of charge.

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☞ Office hours from eight a.m. to half past five p.m. Sundays, from nine to ten o'clock a.m.

ROBERT C. GIST, Postmaster.

### LADIES' LIST.

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Austin mrs D, Abington miss F, Allen mrs Mary C, Allison mrs N S, Alexander miss E, Allison mrs R

B

Burnett Miss L, Bryant mrs N R, Basley mrs M, Bowles miss M, Bland mrs S, Beaty miss L, Bannon miss, Bates miss M, Baker mrs S A, Bryant mrs J D, Bowers miss Sue, Bowen miss A, Bourk mrs M, Bneian mrs M, Benton mrs A, Barksdale mrs S B, Barnetts mrs, Butler mrs N C, Bowden mrs J A, Byrd miss O, Burnet mrs M, Beadle miss E G, Becket mrs O, Baker mrs W R, Bar mrs S

C

Crawford miss B, Cornelius miss S C, Coleman mrs B, Clifton miss M E, Cheek mrs S M, Carter miss M, Carlotta miss R, Cass mrs H A, Canley miss H, Cockron mrs A, Cogswell mrs A M, Clore mrs S B, Chandler mrs M, Caldwell mrs M E, Carbet miss E, Carr mrs M M, Conway miss E P 2, Carus miss M, Clemments mrs M, Childres mrs J, Cheata mrs M, Car mrs E, Cannon miss L G

D

Duncan mrs A 2, Deane mrs T L, Davis mrs E H, Dougherty miss F, Denton miss E, Davis miss L, Dorne mrs M, Davis miss B, Dale miss M C

E

Edwards miss M D, Estes miss M

F

Flournoy mrs F B, Fassill miss S A T, Filds Jane, Finley mrs C E

G

Greenlaw mrs F, Griffin miss R, Graves miss E C, Griggs miss E M, Garrison mrs B, Griffin miss E, Griffith mrs H D, Griffen Mary, Gannon miss A, Gates mrs A 2, Garvin miss M, Galvin mrs K, Gay miss L

H

Harald mrs J A, Humphreys mrs A E, Holt miss M, Hilton miss R, Hiatt mrs H, Hawes mrs L, Haynie mrs K J, Henry mrs G, Hunter miss M, Hogan miss E, Holtt mrs R C, Hill mrs M A, Hawkins mrs M, Haines mrs J, Heffran C, Huskey mrs M, Hodges mrs E E, Hibbitt mrs E W, Hart mrs C D, Hayward miss E

J

Jefferies mrs S, Jones mrs L M, Jamison mrs L A, Jones mrs J, Johnson miss C, Jones miss L, Johnson miss L A

K

Klein miss K J, Keirnan miss B F, Knight mrs N, Kendrick miss S, Kent mrs L V, Kendale miss L

L

Lydle mrs L, Lowe miss L W, Lean miss D M, Logan mrs C, Levey miss C, Lownes mrs J H A, Lee miss B

Mc

McDonald mrs K, McCorkle mrs M

M

Marien mrs I, Maloney mrs A, Maynard miss L, Mahoney mrs C, Mason miss M, Morton S A, Marshall mrs M E, Maher miss M, Malloy miss J, Morrison mrs G, Martin miss M, May miss N, Mateer miss D

N

Noonan miss J, Neville miss, Nolen mrs M, Normant miss S, Nichols miss L J, Newsome miss C

O

O'Connell miss K, Owens miss S, Organ miss N S, O'Connell mrs J, O'Riely mrs M, Owen miss A S, O'Brien mrs J V, Otis miss F

P

Proutz miss H A 2, Plckett miss M J, Petterson mrs J, Porter miss R C, Plimber mrs S, Pearce mrs C M, Poindexter mrs W B, Percer mrs H, Paine mrs S

Q

Qukle miss H

R

Robison mrs L J, Reeves miss M, Rodner mrs J C, Rhodes miss A, Rice miss A, Rochenback mrs

S

Smith miss S, Smith miss J, Smith mrs

T

Tuttle miss M C, Turner mrs F, Treat miss D, Tovell miss I G, Trevett mrs M H, Turner mrs S, Trice mrs M J, Treat miss J C, Tuttle miss W R, Turly mrs S

U

Underhill miss J

V

Valentine mrs K S

W

Wright mrs E, Woodworth miss K, Winchester miss L, Weeks mrs A O, Ward miss A, Ward mrs S S, Wright Emma J, Wood mrs E W, White miss M, Ward mrs P M, Waigsley miss E, Waller mrs J 2, Wortham mrs S P, Willard mrs J, Wells mrs M, Warre mrs W, Watkens mrs E, Welberton miss F

Y

Yancey miss P, Young mrs E, Yancey mrs M L, Yancey miss T

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**On Friday, the 8th day of May, 1868,**

Proceed to sell between the hours of eleven o'clock a.m. and 12 o'clock m., at public auction, in front of the Postoffice in Memphis, Tennessee, to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate, described in said trust deed as follows: A certain tract of land situate, lying and being in the county of Tipton and State of Tennessee, situate on the banks of the Mississippi river, adjoining the lands of John Trigg on the north, John and E. S. Alston on the west, and Potter's land on the east, and Samuel Benton's on the south, containing six hundred acres, it being the tract of land sold by Susan Brown to B. T. Harrell on the 18th of December 1865; said deed of trust also conveys with the land all cattle and hogs, corn and cotton crops on the place, and all farming utensils and mechanics' tools, which will also be sold at the same time. There is a comfortable dwelling house, also other outhouses and buildings on the place, and is known as the plantation formerly belonging to Bedford Brown, Esq. The sale will be positive, as it is made for the payment of a balance due on the purchase notes. Equity of redemption is waived. The title to said property is believed to be undisputed, but I will only sell and convey as trustee.

For more particular information apply to BEECHER & BELCHER, Attorneys, Irving Block.

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### Attachment Suit.

Municipal Court of the City of Memphis—Clerk's Office March 9, 1868—No. 1485, A. D.—C. T. Ames and Mary Ames, Plaintiffs, vs. Haight & Chambers, Defendants.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied," etc., on the property of the defendants Haight & Chambers; it is therefore ordered, that said defendants appear at the Municipal Court Room in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the first Tuesday in April next, and defend this suit or the same will be taken for confessed as to them and the case set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

L. B. EATON, Clerk.

A copy.
S. D. THOMPSON, D. C.
HAYNES, STOCKTON & HART, Attorneys for Plaintiffs. mh14

No. 2578—N. R. F.—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—Insolvent and Creditor's Notice—John Hallum, Administrator, de bonis non, of the estate of James H. Markham, deceased, vs. John H. Holt and wife et al.

IN this cause the insolvency of the estate of James H. Markham, deceased, having been suggested, the creditors thereof made parties defendant to this suit whose names and places of residence are unknown, and an order entered directing publication to be made; it is therefore ordered, that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee on or before the first Monday in June, 1868, and file and establish their claims against said estate, or the same will be forever barred and the cause set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for three months in the Memphis Avalanche.

AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.

A copy—Attest.
By R. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M.
HALLUM, CHALMERS & TURLEY, Solicitors for Complainant. mh3

### Attachment Suit.

Harrison Jones vs. Jefferson Haskin.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this cause in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied, etc.," on the property of the defendant;

It is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at my office, in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the fourth day of April, 1868, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken as confessed and the case set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

S. A. MOORE, J. P.

LOGWOOD & PEYTON, Attorneys for Plaintiff. mh7
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No. 2561—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—Wm. Orgill, Edmund Orgill, G. L. Denison and A. S. McNear, firm of Orgill Brothers & Co., vs. L. F. Beech, Dass, firm of Beech & Dass, et al.

IT appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendants Beech & Dass are non-residents of the State of Tennessee;

It is therefore ordered, that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday in April, 1868, and plead, answer or demur to complainant's bill, or the same will be taken for confessed as to them and set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.

A copy—Attest.
By R. J. BLACK, Deputy D. C. & M.
GANTT, WADDELL & McDOWELL, Sols. for Complainants. mh6

In the Circuit Court of Shelby County—Mary Elizabeth Carter vs. James Edward Carter.

IT appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendant James Edward Carter is a non resident of the State of Tennessee;

It is therefore ordered that he make his appearance herein, at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the first three days of the next term of the Circuit Court, to be held on the fourth Monday in May, 1868 and plead, answer or demur to complainant's bill or the same will be taken for confessed, as to him, and set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week, for four successive weeks, in the Memphis Avalanche.

M. D. L. STEWART, Clerk.

A Copy—Attest.
T. W. BROWN and M. B. TREZEVANT, Sols. for complainant. mh6

### Creditor's Notice.

No. 2485—N. R. D.—In the Chancery Court of Memphis—W. N. Wilkerson et al., vs. the Franklin Insurance Banking Company et al.

IN this cause, upon motion and in conformity to the prayer of the bill, it is ordered by the Court that all persons claiming to be creditors or having any character of demands against the "Franklin Insurance and Banking Company of Memphis, shall immediately come into this Court and have themselves made parties to this cause by filing their claims with the Clerk and Master, with proper evidence of the same, that they may severally recover their ratable share of the assets of said Company, to be distributed in this cause; and that a copy of this order be published in the Memphis Daily Appeal and Avalanche for three (3) months from this date. March 11, 1868.

AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.

A copy—Attest.
By R. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M.
ESTES, JACKSON, McDAVITT and E. BURKE PICKETT, Sols. mh11

### To the Distributees of Wyatt Moye, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given to the distributees and parties interested in the estate of Wyatt Moye, deceased, their agents, attorneys and proper representatives, that I have filed my petition in the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, to resign my administration of said estate; and, in pursuance of the order of said Court, I now give notice that on the second Monday in April next, at the Court House in Memphis, I shall present said petition and ask to have my accounts passed and my resignation accepted. The distributees may be present on that day, or as soon thereafter as the Court will reach and take up the matter, and take such action as they may see proper.

ROBERT S. ADAMS,
Administrator of Wyatt Moye, deceased.

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### Attachment Suit.

Law Court of Memphis—Clerk's Office, March 14, 1868—No. 1153, A. D.—Galbreath, Stewart & Co., Plaintiffs vs. W. B. Johnson, Defendant. Attachment Suit.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied," etc., on the property of the defendant, W. B. Johnson; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the second Monday in June next, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him and the case set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

JOHN DONOVAN, Clerk.

A copy.
JOHN W. GRAHAM, D. C.
WRIGHT, McKISSICK & WRIGHT, Attorneys for Plaintiffs. mh15

### Attachment Suit.

Law Court of the City of Memphis—Clerk's Office, March 4 1868—No. 1314—Attachment suit—Galbreath, Stewart & Co. Plaintiffs vs W. J. Rogers, Defendant.

AFFIDAVIT for Attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and Attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied," etc., on the property of the defendant, W. J. Rogers, it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the second Monday in June next, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him, and that a copy of this order be published for hearing exparte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

JOHN DONOVAN, Clerk.
JOHN W. GRAHAM, D. C.

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WRIGHT, McKISSICK & WRIGHT, Attorneys for Plaintiffs. mh15

### Attachment Suit.

Law Court of the City of Memphis—Clerk's Office, March 14, 1868—No. 1174, A. D.—Attachment Suit—Galbreath, Stewart & Co., Plaintiffs, vs. Isaac Smith, Defendant.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied," etc., on the property of the defendant Isaac Smith; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the second Monday in June next, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him and the case set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

JOHN DONOVAN, Clerk.

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JOHN W. GRAHAM, D. C.
WRIGHT, McKISSICK & WRIGHT, Attorneys for Plaintiffs. mh14

### Attachment Suit.

Law Court of Memphis—Clerk's Office, March 14, 1868—No. 1189, A. D.—Galbreath, Stewart & Co., Plaintiffs, vs. J. Bun tin, defendant. Attachment Suit.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied," etc., on the property of the defendant, J. Buntin; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the second Monday in June next, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him and the case set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

JOHN DONOVAN, Clerk.

A copy.
JOHN W. GRAHAM, D. C.
WRIGHT, McKISSICK & WRIGHT, Attorneys for Plaintiffs. mh15

### Trustees' Sale.

BY virtue of a deed of trust executed by W. P. Haines & Co., of Augusta, Ark., to Toof, Phillips & Co., of Memphis, Tenn., on the 4th day of June, A. D. 1867, and duly recorded in the Recorder's office in Woodruff county, Ark., in Mortgage Record Book A, pages 144, 145 and 146, we will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash in hand, at the Court House door in the city of Augusta and State of Arkansas,

**On Tuesday, the 21st day of April, A. D. 1868.**

Between the hours of ten a.m. and three p.m., of same day, the following described property, to satisfy said trust, viz.: seven bales of cotton, nine mules, six work oxen and one wagon.

F. M. MAHAN,
J. M. McCURDY,
Trustees.

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### Trustee's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of a deed of trust to me executed and delivered on the 2th day of August, 1867, by T. J. Reasonover, and duly noted on pages 470, 471 and 472 of Record book No. 61, in the Register's office of Shelby county; therefore, to secure the indebtedness therein described, I shall,

**On Thursday, the 7th day of May, 1868,**

In front of the Greenlaw Block, at the door of the Chancery Court room, between the hours of ten a.m. and four p.m., sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit: A one-fifth interest in three acres of land bought by F. M. Brewster of Mrs. E. Ragland executrix, and S. R. Ragland, executor, of N. Ragland, deceased, which said deed is on record in the Register's office of Shelby county, in book 54, part second pages 29, 30 and 31, and is therein described as lot No. 5, and the interest therein conveyed, is the same conveyed by F. M. Brewster to Thomas J. Reasonover on the 25th of March, 1867, which deed is recorded in book No. 60, part first, pages 336 and 337, May 11, 1867, and to which reference is made for description of metes and bounds. The equity of redemption is waived; the title believed to be good, but I convey only as trustee.

JOHN R. REASONOVER, Trustee.

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### Trustee's Sale.

BY virtue of a deed in trust executed by William B. Cotton on the 14th day of May, 1866, and recorded in Book No. 57, part first, pages 148, 149 and 150 in the Register's office of Shelby county and State of Tennessee, I will,

**On the 27th day of April, 1868,**

At 11 a.m., proceed to sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at the salesrooms of Royster, Trezevant & Co., 276 Second street, in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, the following described real estate, to-wit: Being a ten acre lot in the Fifth Civil District, on McConnell's avenue, having a front of three hundred and sixty-five feet (365 feet), and a depth of eighteen chains and sixty links (18 chains 6 links). The said lot to be sold to pay certain notes described in said trust deed. Equity of redemption waived.

C. G. FIELD, Trustee.

JOHN P. TREZEVANT, Auctioneer. apr5

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## LEGAL.

### Executor's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of J. C. Butler, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I have filed my settlement of the estate of J. C. Butler, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the April term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

LOUISA J. HARRIS, Executrix.

JOHN LOAGUE, Clerk.
Printer paid $5.

### Insolvent Notice.

In the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee—In re est, D. Weeks, deceased.

HAVING suggested the insolvency of the estate of D. Weeks, deceased, to the Clerk of said Court, and received an order to this effect. I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to appear before the County Court Clerk and file the same, authenticated in the manner prescribed by law, on or before the 10th day of September, 1868; any claims not filed on or before said day, or before an appropriation of the funds of said estate is made, shall be forever barred, both in law and equity.

F. SMITH,
Administrator of D. Weeks, deceased.

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Printer's fee paid.

### Notice to Creditors.

No. 2511—Chancery Court of Memphis—John C. Lanier vs the Gayoso Savings Institution et al.

IT is ordered by the Court in this cause, that the creditors of the Gayoso Savings Institution do immediately come in and have themselves made parties to this suit, and file their claims with the Clerk and Master, with proper proof of the same, that they may receive their pro rata share of the assets of said Bank for distribution among the creditors; and that a copy of this order be published in the Memphis Appeal, Avalanche and Post, until the further orders of this Court.

AUGUSTON ALSTON, Clerk and Master.

A copy—Attest.
BY BENJ. COLMAN, Deputy C. & M. mh7

### Administratrix's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of Daniel Moriarty, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my settlement of the estate of Daniel Moriarty, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

Filed April 7, 1868. MARY MORIARTY, Administratrix.
Printer paid $5 00. apr9

### Administrator's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of E. Stephenson, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my settlement of the estate of said E. Stephenson, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

April 7, 1868. J. W. DICKEY, Administrator.
Printer paid $5 00. apr9

### Attachment Suit.

George Mackey & Co. vs. Wm. D. Jones.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this cause, in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied," etc., on the property of the defendant; it is therefore ordered that said defendant appear at my office in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the 14th day of April, 1868, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken as confessed and the case set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

mh13 (Signed) S. A. MOORE, J. P.

### Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration upon the estate of William Haney, deceased, having been granted to me by the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, at the March term, 1868, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to pay such indebtedness to me, and I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them, properly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred.

R. W. BROOKS,
mh29 Administrator of Wm. Haney, deceased.

### Administrator's Notice.

HAVING been qualified as administrator, with will annexed, of Jane Blair, deceased, all parties having claims against said estate are notified to file the same with me or with my attorney, J. A. Ouley, properly authenticated, at once; and all parties indebted to the estate are notified to settle the same without delay.

W. L. ... ELL, Administrator.

OULEY & DUVAL ... neys. mh7

### Administratrix's Settlement in the County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of Watt C. Bradford, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my annual and final settlement of the estate of Watt C Bradford, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

C. A. SCHAFER, Administratrix.

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### Executor's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of Samuel Leake, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I have filed my settlement of the estate of Samuel Leake, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the April term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

V. LEAKE, Executor.

JOHN LOAGUE, Clerk.
By BERNARD COLL, D. C. mh14
Printer paid $5.

### Administrator's Notice.

HAVING qualified as administrator de bonis non upon the estate of C. B. Seward, deceased, at the February term of the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, all persons holding claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to me for payment, within the time prescribed by law; and all persons indebted to said estate will make immediate settlement of such indebtedness, or be sued upon. All persons holding claims against said estate and all persons owing it, will present their claims to, and settle with me, at my residence in Ninth Civil District of Shelby county.

I. M. BROOKS, Administrator.

LOGWOOD & PEYTON, Attorneys. mh5

### Trustee's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of a deed of trust executed by H. D. Sherman to me, (S. R. Gammon) to secure the payment of a note for the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000), payable to H. L. Eleau, dated Memphis, November 16, 1867 duly recorded in the Register's office of Shelby county, State of Tennessee, in Record book No. 62, page 400, to which reference is hereby made I will, on

**Thursday, the 30th day of April, 1868,**

At the late residence of H. D. Sherman, situated in Shelby county, about nine (9) miles from the city of Memphis, near the Horn Lake road, proceed to sell, between the hours of ten a.m. and four p.m., to the highest bidder for cash, at public outcry, the following described property, as set forth in said deed of trust, for the payment of the debt therein mentioned, to-wit: One (1) horse, seven (7) head (8) stock of cattle, two (2) mules, one (1) ox wagon, milch cows, one (1) spring wagon and one (1) ox wagon.

R. GAMMON, Trustee.

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### Guardian's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Friends and Creditors of W. T. Donelson.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my settlement of the estate of W. T. Donelson with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

Filed April 7, 1868. S. A. WILSON, Guardian.
Printer paid $5 00. apr

### Guardian's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Friends and Creditors of Heirs of Wm. F. Allen, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I have filed my settlement of the estate of the said Heirs with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

Filed April 4, 1868. MARY C. ALLEN, Guardian.
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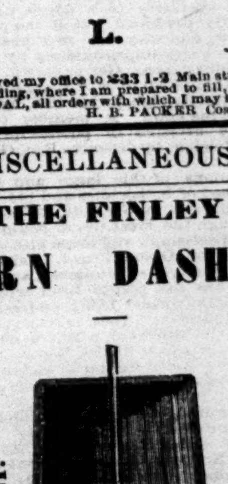


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## OFFICIAL.

### Tax Ordinance.

**CITY TAX.**

BE it ordained, etc., That the City Tax on all property assessed for the Forty-first Corporate Year, shall be and is hereby made as follows: One dollar and ten cents on every one hundred dollars worth of taxable property, for the purpose of defraying the expenses necessarily incurred in administering the affairs of the city; fifty cents on every one hundred dollars worth of property, for the purpose of paying the interest on the past due indebtedness of the city; and twenty cents on every one hundred dollars worth of property, for the purpose of defraying the expenses necessarily incurred in carrying on the City Schools.

Approved April 13, 1868. E. McDAVITT, Mayor pro tem.

Attest—L. R. RICHARDS, City Register. apr14

### Tax Payers Notice.

THE assessment of the Ninth and Tenth Wards has been made by the City Tax Assessors. The books, showing the valuation and names of owners of each lot, will be open for inspection and correction at the Mayor's Office, Exchange Building, through the next ten days. We would have property owners in these two new wards call and see that mistakes as to ownership are corrected.

JOHN PARK,
L. J. DUPRE,
J. McPROVINE.

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### Sanitary Ordinance.

WHEREAS, it is important to prevent the visitation of epidemic diseases to the city, and as the accumulation of filth of any kind in and around the premises of the inhabitants of the city is likely to endanger the health of the community; therefore,

Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis:

SECTION 1. That no occupant of any building or premises in the city of Memphis shall permit the accumulation of any filth, garbage, or noxious substances upon said premises, but shall have the same removed at their expense.

SEC. 2. Said occupants shall not throw, or put into any street, public or private alley, any filth, garbage, or other noxious substances, or permit the same to flow from their premises.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of the Sanitary Police, or any other member of the Police Force, to see that the above sections, one and two, are not violated; and if any filth, garbage, or other noxious substance is found in and around said premises, or near the same, in any street or alley, said occupant shall be required to remove the same within twenty-four hours; and in default thereof, said occupant shall be fined five dollars for each and every day said filth is permitted so to remain.

SEC. 4. The violation of the first and second section of this ordinance shall be deemed a misdemeanor, and on conviction shall be fined not less than five nor more than twenty-five dollars.

Passed first and final reading by a suspension of the rules.

April 13, 1868. E. McDAVITT, Mayor pro tem.

Attest—L. R. RICHARDS, City Register. apr14

### Ordinance.

BE it ordained, etc., That the Sidewalk on each side of Shelby street, from Beale to South streets, be widened, so that hereafter said sidewalks shall be twelve feet; said widening to be done by the property owners, without cost to the city.

Passed first and final reading, by a suspension of the rules.

Approved April 13, 1868. E. McDAVITT, Mayor pro tem.

Attest—L. R. RICHARDS, City Register. apr14

### Parcel Express Companies.

BE it ordained, etc., That all Parcel Express Wagons drawn by hand shall pay for the privilege the sum of six dollars, and they shall be licensed as other vehicles by the City Register.

Approved April 10, 1868. E. McDAVITT, Mayor pro tem.

Attest—L. R. RICHARDS, Register. april1

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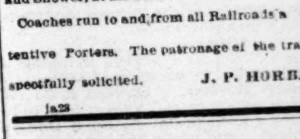

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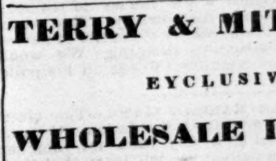

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